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GERMANS' APPROACH TERRORIZES BRUSSELS AND BELGIAN CAPITAL IS MOVED TO ANTWERP

KAISER DEMANDS THE CAPITAL'S SURRENDER; BELGIANS DECLINE

Berlin, via Copenhagen, Aug. 18–Germany has demanded the surrender of Brussels. The Belgian government has refused to grant the demand.

The message sent from Berlin to the Belgian government paid high tribute to the valor of the Belgians and offered to make any arrangement compatible with the conflict of Germany and France including evacuation of the entire country as soon as possible after Brussels had surrendered.

Slowly but surely the German attacking columns are pushing the Belgian-French defenders back on Brussels. Despite the rigid censorship, it is known that skirmishing which began at daybreak, west of Huy, is steadily increasing. The German advance line of cavalry is supported by rapid fire guns mounted on motor trucks.

All national records in Brussels have been transported to Antwerp. Queen Elizabeth has fled to that city.

The officials are emphasizing the lack of strategic importance of Brussels. The exact British-French position is not known, but it is admitted that many men will be sacrificed to hold the Belgian capital.

The German army will sweep south of the capital, but it is believed that the Kaiser's army will take the city and try to divide the Belgian defenders. The censorship is becoming more pronounced. All correspondents have been ordered to withdraw from the front and the war office no longer is issuing bulletins.

Sound of heavy artillery is heard in the city. Whether Namur has been besieged is not known. The war office last night insisted that the German movement southward had been checked.

Fighting is reported at Gembloux and other points where the German cavalry has been thrown forward to engage the advance guard of the allies and to open the way for the advance of infantry and artillery.

Gembloux lies 25 miles southeast of Brussels, 11 miles northwest of Namur and 18 miles from the historic field of Waterloo.

According to an announcement from a Belgian source a German force is said to have been caught between French cavalry and Belgian column which was engaged in northern movement from Namur. The German losses are said to have been heavy due to the stubborn fighting qualities of the Uhlans who charged repeatedly against superior forces. A heavy force from the German right wing is reported to be marching directly upon Brussels in a straight line from Huy.

Fighting is also reported from the vicinity of Melvert, where on Sunday a Belgian regiment fought for four hours against the 13th German hussars who are said to have lost a large number of men. The steady advance of the Germans and the preparations for battle around the capital caused the continued announcement of Belgian victories to be taken with reserve.

Preparations are being made for the defense of this city against the Germans. The forts are being strengthened and the troops and artillery are being massed in the path of the invading hosts.

A big force of the enemy is reported from a point near Wavre, only 15 miles from Brussels. There are strong indications that the meadows around Waterloo may see for a second time a world shattering conflagration of war.

Brussels' Fall Is Nearing.

(By Carl Von Wiegand.)

The Hague, Aug. 18.—Advices from the Berlin office of the United Press say that German offensive movements against France and Belgium are reported well in progress. All details, however, are suppressed, but it is stated that the capture of Brussels is only a question of a few days. Every [illegible] in German official circles is elated with war details.

[illegible] the Kaiser left for Mainz official war bulletins were received by him and the Kaiser [illegible] the compliments [illegible]

[illegible] the most prominent [illegible] the staunch friendship [illegible] expected everywhere for Americans who are shown every courtesy. Civil authorities have taken [illegible] in making the enforced [illegible] of Americans in Germany as [illegible] as possible. The German standards are entwined with American flags everywhere in Berlin. Thousands of Germans are [illegible] crossed American and German flags on their breasts. The display of the American flag is second only to that of the Germans and far outnumbers the Austrian flag.

Incursion Checked Claim Belgians.

Brussels, Aug. 18.—The German incursion in direction of Brussels seems definitely stopped according to official communications issued by war office. It adds the situation remains excellent for our army.

MIGHT HELP SOME.

"ON TO STRASSBURG," IN ALSACE-LORRAINE, IS THE FRENCH SLOGAN

Paris, Aug. 18—"On to Strassburg" was the French war slogan today. The great fortified capital of Alsace-Lorraine is the objective point of the French army. Troops have been pouring across the border of the frontier from the Belgian fortifications and through the passes of the Vosges mountains into the valley of the Shirmeck. The French cavalry advance has penetrated to Rosheim in sight of Molhein, the gateway to Strassburg. There has been constant skirmishing by the Germans in Upper Alsace.

The transportation of guns is admittedly a big problem to the French. Upper Alsace is heavily wooded and the passes of the Vosges mountains are difficult. The general staff has solved the problem and is confident of results. Gen. Joffree's plan of campaign was approved by the field marshals. Certain suggestions were made by the British marshal, however and they will be followed out. The British commander left today for the front.

The German advance is known to be in progress, but is being bitterly contested but all information of a battle is being withheld.

Paris, Aug. 18—Official announcement says: "All day Monday we continued to progress in Upper Alsace. The enemy's retreat from this side was in disorder. They abandoned everywhere their wounded and their stores." This telegram received at the war office from General dos. Joffree, French commander-in-chief. The official communication of the war office adds: "The French troops have occupied all the region to the west of Eventange, 22 miles inside the German frontier in Lorraine. Our troops poured through from the valley of the river Seille of which a number of passes have been evacuated by the Germans. Our cavalry is at Chateau-Salins.

Mrs. Richard Timmonds, of Hamilton, is here for a visit with relatives.

INCREASED NUMBER OF TOURISTS

London, Aug. 18—Henry S. Breckenridge, assistant secretary of war of the United States has completed arrangements for the relief of Americans. The number of Americans in Europe is believed to be almost double that of the original estimate of 30,000.

London, Aug. 18—Prince Alexander of Teck, a brother of Queen Mary and future governor general of Canada is going into foreign service.

HOLLAND TO ENFORCE ITS NEUTRALITY

London, Aug. 18—It was reported that Holland is taking elaborate precautions to enforce her neutrality. The frontier is closely guarded and arrangements have been completed for flooding the country along the frontier at a moment's notice.

A dispatch from The Times to the Hague says the Germans have completed the destruction of Vise after burning what was left after the previous fire. All inhabitants were sent across the line to Holland. Fourteen died on the way from Vise to Maastricht.

Railway Distances In Europe's War Zone Officially Compiled

The following table of railway distances may be helpful toward an intelligent reading of the dispatches:

Paris—Brussels, 200 miles.
Paris—Namur, 191 miles.
Brussels—Liege, 33 miles.
Brussels—Namur, 35 miles.
Paris—Verdun, 175 miles.
Verdun—Metz, 42 miles.
Paris—Nunoy, 220 miles.
Nancy — Strassburg, 74 miles.
Paris—Belfort, 275 miles.
Mulhaussen — Basel, 21 miles.
Colmar — Strassburg, 41 miles.
Basel—Strassburg, 89 miles

MAIL LINES TO EUROPE

New York, August 18 The American and Red Star lines announced that by special arrangement with the post office department an Atlantic mail service would be established Wednesday and Saturday both from New York and Liverpool.

FIGHTING ON GOLD COAST

London, Aug. 18.—News from British Gold Coast in Africa says: British forces of that colony whose capital is Acera, have had some brushes with the German troops in Togoland. They have taken some German prisoners and captured two trains.

Canarjos, Mexico, Aug. 18—General Villa received orders from Gen. Carranza today not to come to Mexico City.

SERVIA CLAIMS TO HAVE ROUTED THE FORCES OF AUSTRIA

London, Eng., Aug. 18—The Servian legation here today received a dispatch from Premier Pashitch, announcing a decisive defeat of the Austrians who are invading Servia. The message reads:

"Austrians have been completely routed in mountains near Schabatz. Fifteen thousand have been annihilated; 15 guns have been captured. The Austrians are fleeing in great disorder to across the rivers Save and Drina. They are being hotly pursued by our troops."

Nish, Aug. 18 Official announcement was made here this afternoon of an overwhelming victory of the Servians over the Austrians in Shabatz mountains. Details which were contained in the dispatch were given out by the Servian legation at London earlier in the day.

Probe Of Standard Oil Co. Is Proposed

Washington, August 18—Congressional investigation of charges that the Standard Oil Company is restraining trade in various oil fields by refusing to purchase from producers was proposed in a resolution today by Senator Chilton of West Virginia through ownership and control of pipe lines. The resolution says the oil company has for years fixed the price of crude oil "at its pleasure and practically made the oil market." That it recently has revolutionized conditions in the oil business not only as to price but by refusing to run more than 25 per cent of oil produced and in refusing to buy the products of the wells "has brought about chaos and ruin." The resolution was referred to a committee.

German Charge Is In Favor Of Giving Kiau-Chau To Japan

Washington, Aug. 18—To prevent a slaughter of Germans in Kiao Chau, Charge Von Heinsen of the German embassy today said he believed the best thing Germany could do would be to return to province to China. He was greatly concerned after the conference today over the Japanese ultimatum although he said he had received no advices from Berlin. There are only 3,000 soldiers at Kiao Chau and with the present fortifications there it would be impossible to resist a Japanese attack. "Personally I think it better to give the province back to China to prevent a slaughter of the German officers, soldiers, their wives and children. We fully realize that we can not retain Kiao Chau but cannot give it over without protest." The charge stated that he had absolutely no faith in Japan's statement that she would turn Kiao Chau over to China.

Pope Pius Is Ill

Rome, Aug. 18. -Pope Pius is very ill and physicians are constantly at his bedside. He is suffering from bronchial catarrh complicated by gouty manifestations. In addition to this the news of the war that the Catholics are lined up on both sides has resulted in much disorder and the entire household is alarmed.

Today doctors gave strict orders that his Holiness was not to be permitted to receive war news. No one was permitted to even mention it in his presence, but whether this will have any effect is uncertain.

Some folks confess t' an inability t' get up "home" at th' war news. For instance, how in Sam Hill did th' Germans get so close t' Brussels when they were effectively checked every day by th' Belgians. Shucks it's easy when y' get th' key to it. Them "checks" waz merely psychological that's it. Psychological. All you've gotta do is read th' war news from the standpoint of psychologicability and you've got it. Get me? Here's th' weather:

Ohio—Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday, probably occasional showers; somewhat cooler Wednesday.

Kentucky—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday.

PRESIDENT ISSUES THOUGHTFUL WORDS OF WARNING

Washington, Aug. 18.—Addressing the American people, President Wilson issued a statement today in connection with the war, warning citizens of the United States against "that deepest, most subtle, most essential breach of neutrality which may spring out of partisanship and out of passionately taking sides."

The President's statement follows:

"My fellow countrymen: I suppose that every thoughtful man in America has asked himself during the last troubled weeks what influence the European war may exert on the United States, and I take the liberty of addressing a few words to you in order to point out that it is entirely within our own choice what its effect on us will be, and to urge very earnestly upon you the sort of speech and conduct which will best safeguard the nation against distress and disaster.

The effect of the war on the United States will depend largely upon what the American citizens say and do. Every man who really loves America will act and speak in the true spirit of neutrality which is the spirit of impartiality and fairness and friendliness to all concerned. The spirit of the nation in this critical matter will be determined largely by what individuals, society and those gathered in public meetings do and say, upon what newspapers and magazines contain, upon what our ministers utter in their pulpits and men proclaim as their opinions on the streets."

Prior to the issuance of the statement officials close to the President made it clear that Mr. Wilson was fully determined to take no part in the dispute between Japan and Germany over the situation in the far East. While the Germany-Japan question was not referred to in the statement, it became known that the President regarded with disfavor efforts he believed were being made to embroil the United States in the controversy in the far East or in Europe.

The President does not believe in "hyphenated" Americans, as some are prone to call themselves after accepting citizenship. The general term, American covers all, not Irish-American, German-American, or other classifications of the sort. This feeling is understood to have prompted the issuance of his statements today.

Scenic Theatre To-Night! "The Dead Man Who Killed" — A Thrilling Military Drama in Four Parts. "Uncle Sam in Mexico" — Showing the operations of the U. S. Army in and around Vera Cruz, Mexico. COMING THURSDAY — The Eleventh Installment of "Lucille Love, The Girl of Mystery" IN TWO PARTS

Watch for the Sensational Fall Suit Sale at the Atlas Thursday. Announcement In Tomorrow's Paper

STEVE CAMERON IS KILLED BY AN N. & W. TRAIN

Every Bone In The Unfortunate Man's Body Is Fractured

Death rode on the pilot of the engine of Passenger Train No. 32, one mile north of Waverly Monday evening, Steve Cameron, of 1023 Chillicothe street, this city, former well known race horse jockey, being the unfortunate victim who was hurled into eternity by the fast moving train. His lifeless body, bruised and mangled, was picked up by the train crew several feet from the spot where he was struck, and brought to Waverly, where a coroner's inquest was held and the body prepared for burial.

Cameron had been to Chillicothe during the day, and just prior to the accident had stepped off a freight train and was walking along the side track north of Waverly, apparently waiting for another freight train to carry him to Portsmouth. The theory is that he became confused when the bright headlight of the passenger train have into view.

At any rate, the engine crew claim that he deliberately walked into the pilot of the train while it was moving at a rapid rate. No opportunity was given the engineer to stop the train, and it had traveled considerable distance before it could be brought to a stop. The train was backed to the spot wher Cameron's body lay, and it was loaded in the express car and taken to Waverly.

Coroner A. C. Gingannon, of Beaver, delegated Dr. T. H. McCann of Waverly, to act in his stead, and the inquest was held at the depot. An examination showed that practically every bone in his body was broken and death must have been instantaneous.

Cameron was last seen in Portsmouth shortly after the noon hour Monday, when he informed friends that he was going to the Lucasville fair to sell some sort of a patent medicine. He left early Monday afternoon on a freight train headed north, and continued on to Chillicothe, arriving there about the middle of the afternoon. He left Chillicothe about five o'clock on a south bound freight, and rode as far as the water tank, one mile north of Waverly, where the freight train took the siding to allow No. 32 to pass. That train is due in Waverly at 6:30 o'clock, so the accident occurred a few moments before that time.

From early youth, Cameron exhibited a fondness for horses, particularly race horses, and practically his entire life was spent in caring for different racers. He was a crack jockey when in his prime, although he had a sudden ending of his career a few years ago. About four years ago, he was riding a horse in a race at the Piketon fair when the animal dropped dead suddenly.

The injured man made his home with his brother, Isaac Cameron, of 1023 Chillicothe street, and enjoyed a wide circle of friends and acquaintances in this city. His body was brought to Portsmouth on the noon train.

Steve Cameron was 44 years of age and born in Greenup county, Ky. He never married and followed the occupation of a jockey all his life time. He had been a resident of Portsmouth for the last quarter of a century. He was a son of the late Allen Cameron, well known constable and park policeman, and Georgiana Cameron. Sisters and brothers surviving him are the following: Mrs. John Stephens and Mrs. Val Deaterla, of Glover street, Miss Armenia Cameron of Cincinnati, Isaac Cameron and Vaughn Cameron of Chillicothe street, and Will Cameron of Cincinnati.

The funeral will take place from Isaac Cameron's home, No. 1313 Chillicothe street, probably Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Crayton S. Brooks, pastor of the First Christian church, will officiate. Burial will take place in Greenlawn cemetery.

WOMAN VICTIM IS IN BAD SHAPE

Reports from the bedside of Mrs. Sarah Merritt of Pike, Pike county, indicate that she is in a critical condition, and that her recovery is doubtful. Mrs. Merritt was one of the three women who were in the buggy which went through a bridge near her home last Thursday afternoon, and on account of her advanced age it is feared that her injuries will prove fatally. She was badly bruised about the face and head, and one leg was badly wounded. The girl of twenty was to the great relief of her friends, not seriously injured. She is just fully recovered.

Brehmer, The Painter, can give you prompt service in painting your house. adv 6tf

Will Meet Again On Saturday To Boost Proposed New Pike

Following an enthusiastic meeting last Saturday at McDermott to boost the proposed new road from Rusiltown to Henley, it was decided to hold another meeting next Saturday at Camp Arion from 10 to 3 o'clock, to which all Scioto and Adams county people interested are invited. Arrangements have been made for a good lunch.

At the meeting last Saturday there were about 50 people present from Portsmouth, McDermott, Arion Camp, Stout, etc., Arion, Henley, Rarden and Peebles. The road, as planned, will start at Rusiltown and pass through McDermott, Frederick, Arion Camp, McCullough, to Henley, paralleling the N. & W. The promoters of the road claim a road can be built on this route which will insure fewer curves and a straighter road than any other cross county road connecting Adams and Scioto counties and as proof of their statement say that the route was selected by the N. & W. as the most practical between the two counties, as well as to Cincinnati. They say if the road is constructed there is a strong possibility that it will be selected as an intercounty road, but barring this fact it will traverse a valley which is the second largest in the county, and first in population, which has not a pike running its entire length. They say that if the road is built Brush Creek would have a practically level and straight pike combined with scenery unsurpassed, and it would develop a country of which Portsmouth and the county are in need. It would likewise add many miles to the roys now, which add to the delight to the beautiful drives the county enjoys now, which add to the development and the prosperity of the county.

L. Taylor, George Walsh and John S. Smith have been selected as a committee to push the new road, and Marshall Smith is the secretary of the organization.

Express Companies To Move Up Town

[illegible] room on Gallia street, but [illegible] to their liking. They [illegible] later to take up [illegible] of a new location. The [illegible] on the Adams Express company's building on Second street [illegible]. The lease of the United States Express company on its present quarters on Second street still [illegible] years to run and the company will remain there.

Gus Barlow Honored At Chicago Meeting

[illegible] The visitors were treated to another dinner on the roof garden of the La Salle hotel where Mr. Barlow stopped during his stay in the Windy City.

The holding of next year's meeting of the Club in San Francisco during the Pan American exposition is being considered. Mr. Barlow will have the power of proclaiming over this meeting. Mr. Barlow upon the advice of his physician abandoned the trip [illegible] she had made [illegible] expectations to go.

CURES HAY FEVER SUFFERER SUCCESSIBLE

[illegible]

RESTAURANT CLOSED

[illegible]

Will Hustle For Election

[illegible]

THOS. H. FLYNN WILL BE ORATOR AT THE LABOR DAY MEETING

It was announced at the Central Labor Council meeting Monday night that Hon. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, had selected Thos. H. Flynn, of Washington, D. C., to deliver the Labor Day address here.

Mr. Flynn is a general organizer of the A. F. of L., and is said to be a fine orator. He is at present located in Charleston, W. Va., and has sent assurances that he will be here. The address will be delivered at Millbrook park.

A drawing for positions in the Labor Day parade was made at the meeting Monday evening. The machinists won first place and meat cutters second. Other crafts will follow in this rotation: painters, printers, electricians, machinist helpers, carmen, brewery workers, plasterers, lathers, engineers, blacksmiths, bakers, sheet metal workers, barbers, carpenters and joiners, retail clerks, street car men, plumbers, boilermakers, iron moulders and pipe fitters.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT WATER CONSUMERS.

All delinquent water consumers will hereby take NOTICE. All accounts not paid by August 20, 1914, will be turned off, without further notice.

WM. GERGENS, Director
D. E. EDWARDS, Collector.

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CROWS ARE PLENTIFUL

Sunday's Columbus Dispatch contained the following item of local interest:

"Mont Beaver, of the physical department of the Central Y. M. C. A., returned Thursday night from Portsmouth, where he has been camping with a party of Portsmouth young men. The campers endeavored to cruise down the Ohio river in a towboat, but low water made the journey a difficult one. By dint of hard rowing they made about 20 miles in eight days, returning to Portsmouth by rail. Here they went into camp for a week.

Mont says he saw more crows down there on the Kentucky side of the river than he had ever seen before in his life.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Leave For Lucasville

Portsmouth scouts will have a big part in the fair at Lucasville this week. The Scout Commissioner has turned over 20 Portsmouth boys for duty on the grounds during the four days of the fair. The following boys [illegible] Kinney, left this city today for Lucasville: Russell Williams, John Schlicher, William Hopkins, Charles Gaggs, Howard Gee, Arthur Doll, Curtis Bellamy, Frank Davis, Arthur Eisenstadt, Howard Shoemaker, Howard Lawrey, Earl Carper, Tom Williams, John Bryant, Richard Reinhardt, Joe Sullivan, Harold Shumway, Harry Wagner, Howard Smith and Harry Davidson. Lucasville will also furnish 10 scouts, making a total of 30 boys which will be used by the fair committee this week.

Big Meeting In East End

Two scouts of the East End held a fine meeting last night at the Manly M. E. church. The feature of the evening's program was a splendid address by Mr. C. W. Rockwell, formerly field secretary of the Boy Scout Movement in this city, but now located at Roanoke, W. Va., as secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Trinity Scouts To Camp

Trinity Boy Scouts will leave [illegible] next Monday, for a week's camp. About 30 boys will make the trip to [illegible] where a fine [illegible] has been placed [illegible] boys are expecting a good time of it.

Still Winning Badges

[illegible]

Peace May Be Decided

[illegible]

Thin Folks Who Would Be Fat

Increase in Weight Ten Pounds or More

A Physician's Advice

"I'd certainly give most anything to be able to fill up a few pounds and stay that way," declares every excessively thin man or woman. Such a result is not impossible despite past failures. Thin people are victims of malnutrition, a condition which prevents the fatty elements of food from being taken up by the blood as they pass when the powers of nutrition are normal. Instead of getting into the blood, all the fat and flesh producing elements stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste.

To correct this condition and to produce a healthy normal amount of fat the digestive processes must be artificially supplied with the power which they have lost or which is lacking. This can best be accomplished by taking a small tablet with every meal. Sergel is a scientific combination of six of the best strength giving fat-producing elements known to the medical profession. Taken with meals it makes well fed men and women of the skinny and frail. Sergel increases the weight and vitality of the entire body. Instances are on record where from twenty five pounds in a single month have been added to the weight of a man. Sergel is not a secret nostrum but is a well known and absolutely harmless preparation which is sold in this vicinity by the Fisher & Speich drug stores and other leading druggists everywhere and every package contains a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

Caution: While Sergel has produced remarkable results in the case of underweight persons, it should not be used by those who desire to increase their weight ten pounds or more.

Huff is slated to pitch for the "All Stars" and Dillon for the Bigelows. The game will be staged at York park.

Big Swimming School

Mr. Harry O. Ledwick's swimming school in the West End has been a great success this summer, and many boys have been taught this important art. Mr. Ledwick is giving all aquatic tests for the Local Court of Honor this summer. Last evening [illegible] Life Saving, instructing the boys how to bring up weights from the bottom of the river; how to break death grips, and proper diving.

Scout Ball Game At Lucasville

One of the big features of Boy Scout Day (Friday) at the Lucasville Fair, will be the ball game between the Lucasville and Portsmouth Scouts. Two picked teams from these two towns will battle in what is expected to be a close game.

Dillinger Pitched

Pitcher Dillinger, formerly with Ironton, pitched the last three innings for Cleveland against the Champion Athletics, Monday, and got by with but three hits being made off him and one run. The game was lost when he went in the box.

Billy Southworth poled out two hits out of four times up and stole a base in Monday's game between Cleveland and Columbus, which was won by the former by a score of 16 to 3. Fred Hunter bagged a hit and stole a base for Minneapolis, Monday.

Satisfied customers are our best proof of honest, conscientious work. Brehmer, The Painter. adv

Getting Records

A committee from the Ministerial Association was at police headquarters Tuesday morning, copying statistics from the mayor's docket to be used in the furtherance of the state wide prohibition campaign in this county during the next few weeks.

FOR RENT

Nice 4 room house in rear of Prichard's garage.

W. S. SELLARDS
Telephone X 824
Room 325 Masonic Temple

On The Last Lap

Light weight clothing is now running the final heat of the season. Fall clothing is rapidly approaching and pushing the lighter goods for recognition. Soon our shelves will be filled with late styles and models, fabrics and weaves, to humor the variation of the weather. Until the capitulation, we are offering low prices on the lighter goods. This will be your last opportunity to secure the bargains. Avail yourself of it and save the difference.

For 89c you can have any $1.25 Shirt in the house. The small sum of 43c will allow you to take home with you any 50c and 75c shirts.

Light Underwear can be worn for weeks before the change to heavier garments is demanded. All $1.00 and $1.25 suits, including union suits for 89c.

Attire yourself in a serviceable suit at the following prices.

$10.00 Suits for .....$ 8.00	$16.50 Suits for.....$13.20
$12.00 Suits for.....$ 9.60	$18.00 Suits for.....$14.40
$15.00 Suits for $12.00	$20.00 Suits for.....$16.00

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TONIGHT
MARY PICKFORD
In a fascinating comedy drama
"THE WOMAN FROM MELLONS"
And a two reel Lubin feature
"WHO SEEKS REVENGE"

TOMORROW
"THE VAMPIRES TRAIL"
ALICE JOYCE
TOM MOORE
ALICE HOLLISTER

THURSDAY
The Classiest Picture of the Year
OTHELLO
5 MAGNIFICENT REELS
By all odds the most pretentious and beautiful picture ever shown here.

Awarded Contracts For The Paving Of Five More Streets

Contracts for the paving of five streets in the city during the present year were awarded by the Board of Control, composed of Mayor Frick, Service Director Gergens and Safety Director Lake, Tuesday morning. The bids were opened at the office of the service director last Saturday noon, but the awards were not made until Tuesday morning.

Kelley Brothers were awarded the contracts for paving Sixth street and Boundary streets, their bids being the lowest for those streets. The bids were as follows: Sixth street, S. Monroe and Sons, $10,816; Kelley Brothers, $10,558.50; Kaps Brothers, $10,636; J. A. Grimes, $10,237. Boundary, S. Monroe & Sons, $9550; Kelley Brothers, $8993.20; Kaps Brothers, $9024.50; J. A. Grimes, $9,272.60. The engineer's estimate for Sixth street was $11,078 and for Boundary $9618.20.

Kaps Brothers were the lowest bidders on Tenth street, Fifth street and Campbell avenue, and they were awarded the contracts for three streets. The bids were: Tenth street, S. Monroe and Sons, $5985.00; Kelley Brothers, $5089.50; Kaps Brothers, $5005; J. A. Grimes, $5702; Fifth street, S. Monroe and Sons, $1361; Kelley Brothers, $1024.40; Kaps Brothers, $1086.00; J. A. Grimes, $1072.72. Campbell avenue, S. Monroe and Sons, $5181.32; Kelley Brothers, $4150.30; Kaps Brothers, $4496.85; J. A. Grimes, $4718.64. The engineer's estimates on the streets were: Tenth, $5913.25; Fifth street, $1088.61; Campbell avenue, $4695.20.

Cement filler will be used on Sixth street and Boundary streets, while tar filler will be used on the three streets for which Kaps Brothers have the contract.

Another Big Crop Of Police Cases

Tuesday's crop of police court victims was nothing short of the large number arraigned before the mayor Monday morning, and from present indications, the present week will be a banner one in the matter of police court cases.

Three colored citizens of the North End were sent to the Cincinnati's workhouse in addition to being fined $25 and costs each, while a fourth local negro is being held pending further examination of his case. All of them are charged with illegally selling liquor and gambling. The trio who heard sentence pronounced upon them by the mayor included Sam Morrison, Fred Davis and David Foster, while Jordan Jolly is being held while the police investigate a report that he has been dispensing liquor without a license. All four of them were caught in a raid on the North End Sunday afternoon.

Charles Clark, another North End negro, will have the alternative given him of going to the Cincinnati workhouse or working out a fine of $10 and costs on the streets. He was convicted Tuesday morning of having held up and robbed of $5 William Reddin, another negro, on Eleventh street last Saturday evening. Reddin expressed keen disappointment when he was told that there was no chance for him to recover his money.

Guy Wheeler, a local young man, is being held by the authorities on suspicion of knowing something about the robbery of the Jackson Crepper's saloon on Eleventh street about a week ago. He is being kept in jail pending investigation. Nine half-pints of whiskey were stolen in the robbery.

Lorton Cole put up a strong defense of the charge that he furnished Roy Piatt, a minor, with liquor Monday afternoon, and he gave the police information that led to the arrest of a third party. He was fined $10, Lawson, on a charge of disorderly conduct, while young Piatt drew a fine of $5. Both paid up, and were released.

Lost Harry Jones the sum of $[illegible] and costs in police court Tuesday morning for having resisted Joe Brannan early Monday morning when that officer attempted to arrest him at Ninth and Chillicothe streets on a charge of disorderly conduct. Jones was convicted on the testimony of the arresting officers.

Unless John Herman can raise $18 by Wednesday morning, he will be taken to the Cincinnati workhouse to serve out his fine. He was fined $10 on a drunk charge Tuesday morning and has a balance of $8 due on an old fine. The mayor lectured Herman severely for undertaking to have other men to get liquor for him, it having been shown that he secured his liquor Tuesday evening by accosting a strange negro and giving him the money. The negro was later released.

John Bush and Isabelle Trailor, the colored couple caught in a North End raid Saturday night, waived the preliminary examination before Mayor Frick Tuesday morning, and were bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $200 bond each on a charge of living in adultery. In default of bond, they will be committed to the county jail. Attorney W. R. Sprague represented them.

Attorney W. R. Sprague, counsel for J. B. Frostick, the Tenth street restaurant man arrested Monday on a charge of discharging a fire arm in the city limits, demanded a jury trial for his client in police court Tuesday morning. Mayor Frick refused to accede, and the case will come up for hearing Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

David Lewis and Milford Evans, arrested Monday for fighting in the West End, were released with a lecture by the mayor Tuesday morning.

Henry Worth, James Hughes, John Martin and Charles Braden, composed a quartet who pleaded guilty to drunk charges Tuesday morning. All of them were fined $5 each. All but Hughes were put to work on the streets, Hughes furnishing security for his fine. Worth fell through the window at Bush's barber shop on Eleventh street before he was arrested, while Braden told a story of having been robbed of $20 in the West End some time Monday evening.

Everything is not as black as it is painted. There is the printer's towel, for instance.

TAKES "GRIT" TO WIN

This really means keeping the system full of vim and vigor, the blood pure and the general health good, all of which must come from perfectly digested food, and liver and bowel regularity. This is an especially good season why you should try

HOSTETTER'S
STOMACH BITTERS

Free Attractions At Lucasville Fair

All indications point to the complete success of the Scioto County Fair, which opened today at Lucasville and which will extend over Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The weather looks as though it would be perfect, while the arrangements at the ground leave nothing desired to insure the people who attend a royal good time.

The management announced Tuesday that free attractions would be provided for daily. The chief of these free events will be the balloon ascension daily. A man and woman will ride in the basket and descend via the parachute. This will be quite thrilling and should excite all sorts of interest. A troupe of educated bears will also give daily performances, while the trapeze performance will be in a class by itself. Remember all this is absolutely free and provided by the management at no small cost for the pleasure and entertainment of the patrons.

A special train will leave the N. & W. depot at 1 o'clock Thursday noon, returning leave the grounds at 5:30, or after all the speed events have been completed. All trains, both going and coming stop at the grounds. The general admission has been placed at 25 cents.

NEW BOSTON

Village Engineer Sam Harper and corps of assistants are busy surveying along Harrisonville pike. The pike will be paved next year.

O. D. Chinn, Gallia pike grocer, returned Monday from Cincinnati, where he underwent an operation for catarrh. He had his adenoids like will be paved next year.

Albert Riggs has an automobile license tag in his possession that he would like to get rid of. He found the tag one week ago Sunday and has been waiting for its owner to claim it.

Although the work on Mayor J. S. Davis' moving picture show is going on slowly, the work on the barber shop that is to be in part of the same building with the show is progressing nicely. Most of the plumbing work has been installed. A large 60 gallon water tank, hot and cold baths, two bath rooms complete, and the latest fixtures will help make the new shop one of the finest tonsorial parlors in this part of the state. Pete Hall will be in charge of the shop when it is completed. A six room flat with all conveniences is upstairs above the barber shop. The lathers started work Tuesday and the shop will be ready in about three weeks.

It is hoped to have the first picture show in New Boston opened in two weeks. The moving picture house being built on Gallia pike by Rudolph Kountz is rapidly nearing completion. A. D. Heinicke & Co., decorators, started work Monday on their part of the contract. The curtain, machine and seats are all on hand ready to be put in place. The theater has a seating capacity of 750. L. G. Welch, who until a few weeks ago was in charge of the machine at the Brady theater on Lawson street, has taken charge of the work at the Kountz theater.

The trolley wire at the Millbrook park loop broke shortly after the extra cars for the crowds from the ball park had pulled out from the side track. An open space of 25 feet was left by the break and the cars went ahead at full speed and coasted over this. It was fixed in time for the evening crowds at the park.

The New Boston Tiger football team under the captaincy of John Emmert, will again be in the field with a strong eleven. The boys will start training in a few weeks and will be among the first who will be ready when the season opens. A number of out-of-town games are to be booked.

Otto Mahn, who had several toes taken off when his foot was mashed while at work in the steel mill over a month ago, will be able to resume work in a few weeks.

Mrs. Asa A. Cutter, wife of the village street commissioner, is recovering slowly from an attack of stomach trouble.

Fred Winterode, of East Rhodes avenue, has resumed work in the steel plant after being off duty for eleven weeks with several mashed fingers, sustained in an accident at the mill.

The finance committee of council, Charles Dixon, J. C. Harris and Fred Eastman, headed by Mayor J. S. Davis, met the officials of the First National bank Tuesday morning, with the purpose of selling the sewer and water works bonds, but the bank could not do anything with the bonds for about 30 days.

Robert Poole returned to Columbus, Tuesday, after a few days' visit with his relatives and friends. Bob came home to enjoy the reunion at Harrisonville, Saturday, but arrived too late.

Marshal Will I. Davis and Ira Fenner, liveryman, returned Monday night from Vanceburg, Ky., where they learned that a fellow answering the description of the man who hired a horse and buggy from Fenner had tried to dispose of the outfit, but was not successful. He had left the village before the officers found a trace of him. A sharp lookout will be kept for him in the towns along the river.

The sign that was ordered put up by council was painted on the front door transom of the town hall Tuesday morning. The words "Mayor's Office" gives the stranger in the village notice that there is such a thing as law in this town.

Miss Mabel Hall, of East Rhodes avenue, has returned from a week's visit with friends and relatives in Maysville, Ky.

The trial of Henry Shelton against Otis Bell, in which Bell was charged with cutting Shelton with intent to kill, was settled in Mayor J. S. Davis' court Monday afternoon. Shelton hails from Star Yards, while Bell conducts a grocery in Sciotoville. Both parties were at a dance given by a number of colored people at the race track one week ago Saturday, when Bell cut Shelton. About fifteen witnesses appeared but were not all examined. The men acknowledged that they danced with the colored ladies during the evening. After hearing what he thought was a sufficient number of witnesses, Mayor Davis dismissed the charge against Bell. Bell and Shelton shook hands and left the court room with peace restored in camp.

Will Work On Dam

A detachment of 32 foreigners, chiefly Hungarians and Italians, arrived here from Pittsburg Tuesday noon to work on the government dam, just below the city. The men attracted considerable attention as they filed through the streets with their baggage, many people thinking they were on their way back to Europe to fight for their native countries.

Paroles Granted

In the list of inmates of the Marion Reformatory to whom paroles have been granted commencing Tuesday, are included the following committed from Scioto county: October 1st, Earl Shellhorn; November 1st, Howard Johnson.

TUBERCULOSIS

In addition to plenty of fresh air and proper diet, those suffering from or who are predisposed to Tuberculosis are recommended to use Eckman's Alterative to stop night sweats, banish fever and hasten recovery. This medicine, by reason of its successful use during the past, warrants the fullest investigation possible by every sufferer.

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POSTOFFICE ROBBED

Burglars forced an entrance to Ed Kitts' store at Kitts Hill, Lawrence county, Sunday morning at 2 o'clock and stole a quantity of flour, tobacco, canned goods, chewing gum and other articles. Mr. Kitts keeps the postoffice in his store and the burglars took some money belonging to the postoffice department.

Sheriff Sloan visited the scene Sunday, but the burglars escaped without leaving any clue that would lead to their identity.

Sugar Soars

Sugar took another small advance Monday, selling at $7.75 per hundred pounds. Many housewives over town have given up thoughts of canning fruit for the winter.

Miss Olive Willis, of Rose Ridge, who has been ill for the past few days, is very much improved today.

The Movies

Sport and Travel In Africa Columbia Tonight

Captain Machin, in charge of the Pathe expedition to the African jungle, with his staff of camera men, guides and sharpshooters, set sail from Marseilles and arrived at Alexandria, Egypt, five days later. From there they journeyed by easy stages to the Nile, then met the first tribe of African natives, the Sudanese.

Traveling inland, the explorers passed the spot, marked by monuments, where Lord Kitchener and the Marchand expedition in 1898.

They came to a village south of Kodok, inhabited by the Shilluks, a war like race, who live in huts of earth and straw. Here they captured a junior monkey. They christened him Coco, and he proved to be an amusing companion during the rest of the expedition.

Leaving the Shilluks, the explorers came to Tongo, and from there plunged into the wild jungle, which was to afford them many fine pictures, many thrills and innumerable narrow escapes from death.

Leopards, monkeys, lions and other wild creatures peculiar to the region unknowingly posed before the camera.

At Lake No, hippopotami were discovered and a hunt was immediately organized. Killing the hippos was an easy task compared to bring home the prizes, some of which measured thirteen feet and weighed nearly four tons.

It is from a bird that dwells in the heart of the African desert that the marabou feathers, commonly used in decorating women's apparel, are obtained. The capture of the marabou is shown.

Farther on a colony of aigrettes was discovered, and a demonstration given of the method of securing their valuable feathers for millinery purposes. Two and three quarter pounds of the feathers secured by the expedition had a value of $1,200.

The party soon arrived on the Abyssinian frontier, and that night a loud trumpeting revealed the presence of elephants near at hand. Early the next morning a hunt was organized, and in a short time several monster ele-phants had fallen before the rifles of the hunters.

Having scoured the game from end to end, the hunters faced about for home, proud of the thrilling pictures they had secured and congratulating each other on the hair breath escapes from charging elephants and leaping leopards which marked the trip throughout.

Films Were Delayed

Much to the regret of Manager Smyth of the Temple theater, the fifth installment of "The Million Dollar Mystery" came in too late to be produced last night. It was the cause of disappointment to a big crowd, but Mr. Smyth is sending onto the films and they will be shown this evening at the Temple.

Mr. Smyth was in no way to blame for the late arrival of the films, as a connection was missed which did not put them in the city in time to reach the theatre until after ten o'clock.

"The Million Dollar Mystery" is proving one of the biggest features ever booked by the Temple and is being shown in all the leading picture houses of the country. Don't miss it tonight.

Mary Pickford At The Lyric Tonight

Mary Pickford, America's little sweetheart, will be at the Lyric tonight in a charming little comedy called "The Woman From Mellons," a unique wholesome tale that will make a big hit with everybody. Mary Pickford is seen at her best in just the kind of a role that endeared her to so many patrons. Also showing tonight is a Lubin two part feature "Who Seeks Revenge," an excellent story with a strong dramatic plot and well acted.

"The Vampire's Trail" will be shown tomorrow. This is a splendid offering, a masterful story that will go straight to your heart, the costumes and settings of this picture are a feature and the acting is great. Alice Joyce is the leading lady and supported by such stars as Tom Moore, Alice Hollister, Harry Millarde, and Robert Walker. Don't miss this dramatic treat tomorrow.

"Othello" At Lyric Thursday

The great Shakespearean drama "Othello" in five parts, will be the big attraction at the Lyric Thursday, one day only. This great picture is heralded as one of the real masterpieces of the film world. It was staged in Venice, Italy, on the authentic locations that Shakespeare had in mind when he conceived the story. Think of it, made in Venice, the very fountain head of romance and adventure. The waterways of historic Venice with their tales ten centuries old, of passionate love and fierce vendettas. The indolent, dreamy sweep of these gondola ridden highways are scenes of the quaintest stories in any language. For the making of "Othello" the City Fathers of Venice declared a holiday. Canals were closed to modern commerce, leaving only the aged palaces, and gayly costumed players, and the clicking cameras in possession of the town's beauty. In "Othello" you will find a real masterpiece, a picture too beautiful to describe and you should not let anything interfere with your chance to see it on Thursday.

At The Scenic

Tonight is a big night at the Scenic, the attraction being the big feature "The Dead Man Who Killed," a thrilling military drama in four parts. The scenes of this great feature were laid in and around a military academy of one of the nations now engaged in the great European war, and will give an insight into the military tactics now being used in this great conflict. It is one continual round of thrills, action and surprises from the beginning of the first reel to the end of the fourth. This great feature will hold your interest to the very finish.

In addition to the big feature, "Uncle Sam in Mexico", a picture showing actual scenes of the operations of the United States troops in and around Vera Cruz. It was taken by one of the Universal Film Company's best cameramen who was sent to Mexico for this purpose. This is an exceptionally interesting program, one you can't afford to miss seeing, as it will be your only chance to see these great pictures. Remember they will be shown tonight only, the first show starting at 7:15 prompt. Be there when the first show starts. The Scenic has 200 seats under roof and shows rain or shine.

Thursday the Scenic will show you the eleventh installment of "Lucille Love, the Girl of Mystery", in two parts. In addition to Lucille Love, "The Picket Guard", a thrilling story of the Civil War in two parts will also be shown, making a splendid special program, of four reels of pictures. Be sure you get to see it.

"The Million Dollar Mystery" At The Exhibit

Read a synopsis of the preceding chapter of "The Million Dollar Mystery" and you will want to see the remaining parts. The eighth episode appears at the Exhibit tonight. The following is a resume of the preceding chapters, all of which have made a decided hit with the theatre going public:

The millionaire, Hargreave, a traitor member of the "Black Hundred," daringly escapes from their concurrence in a balloon which is wrecked at sea. $1,000,000 mysteriously disappears from Hargreave's safe. The "Black Hundred" are determined to get it. They attempt to kidnap Florence, Hargreave's beautiful daughter, but are foiled by Norton. Next thinking the money is hidden in a safe in a warehouse, they break in at the dead of night. At the moment of expected success, they find themselves surrounded and all are captured excepting Braine, their leader. Foiled again, they lure Florence to a top floor flat, trap her, but she makes a daring escape. Jones, alarmed, removes a tin box from its hiding place, puts to sea with it, but is pursued by the conspirators. A thrilling motor boat chase ends in a complete rout of the pursuers and the tin box, still unopened, lying at the bottom of the sea. Then they lure Florence to an old mansion, trap her but in the very nick of time, Norton and Jones rescue her from their clutches. The conspirators secure the aid of the Auto Bandits, work a cunning scheme, take Florence prisoner but Norton, single handed defeats the bandits and drives their auto over the river bank.

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THE SCIOTO COUNTY FAIR.

This is the week of the Scioto County Fair at Lucasville. This fair is a fair of the people. Every farmer and business man should concern themselves in making it a splendid success. A county fair is worth more to a county than many suppose. It gives opportunity to the farmer to compare his products with those produced by his fellow farmers throughout the county and arouses a spirit of rivalry that is of much benefit to all concerned. As an incentive to stock growing there is nothing that will compare with the county fair. We know of counties that did not have a single head of blooded stock in all their confines until a few of the wide-awake business men got up a little county fair and showed them what other folks were doing and whom they were competing with in the markets with their little bunches of scrub stock that drew the bottom prices on the market. It awoke those people and we can refer the reader to a county that hasn't a railroad or a pike in it that has as fine cattle, sheep, and horses as can be found anywhere.—Elliott county, Ky. We had the pleasure of seeing a number of blue ribbons going to this county. They were interested in a county fair that was held on the border of their county and they took pleasure in preparing for it.

The consumer is also interested or should be in the county fair. If the farmers of Scioto county can produce the food necessaries demanded by the various factory employees of this county isn't it reasonable to conclude that they should be encouraged? The soil is here and all that is necessary is to improve the methods of production in order to accomplish it. The interchange of ideas, the adaptation of modern methods, the scientific treatment of the soil, the improved and modern methods of harvest and preparation for market, are the hope of the farmer. Those who do not interest themselves in these cannot hope for ultimate success and profit. The county fair is the best medium by which to acquire an insight to these methods. Mingle with the other fellow. Find out how he does things and try to improve upon them. This will bring results.

There isn't a business man in Portsmouth or Scioto county but who should interest themselves in the Scioto County Fair. If they only knew it, and we believe they do, it is the best business asset they have in the county. It is an unfailing and sleepless producer. It sows good seed and reaps splendid harvests. If the farmer is prosperous so also is the business man.

The fair is not a money making institution for those wide-awake and aggressive gentlemen who give up their time and means each year to promote its interests. Each of them would give a sigh of delight if they could pull out even on the venture, but these gentlemen are farmers or are interested in farm products and they are giving their time and means to the venture through pride of county and for the development of the agricultural interests in this county. They should have the unqualified support of every business interest. The fair opens today, continuing four days and those who are able to attend should not fail to do so.

THE WAR TAX.

There is always complaint about the payment of taxes and one often hears some one inquire "where does the tax money go?" It is easily accounted for in the multiplicity of the public demands. Many tax levies are burdensome and hard to pay, but we fancy that a war tax in a country at peace with all the world will bear more heavily than any other ever put on the people. Nations should be prepared for just such contingencies and emergencies by having a reserve so that the people may not have to dig deeper to keep the machine going.

The food fakirs were inclined to think that they could get by and escape the darts of editorial censure throughout the country, but they were mistaken and they are being treated in the same cheerful manner as a sensational reporter deals with a scoundrel who has just blown a safe or murdered. A man who will take advantage of his people under the present situation is a traitor to his country and should be put out of business.

Those sick tourists probably now can appreciate how a fellow feels broke and at home.

County Is Improving

That juvenile cases have diminished to the extent of 95 per cent less this summer than the summer of 1913, and that lunacy hearings were fully 90 per cent short of the same period last year, was the unusual statement uttered by Probate Judge Beatty Tuesday afternoon. Juvenile delinquency has been almost unheard of this summer, according to the court, and he is at a loss to understand the cause, other than that certain societies are doing a splendid work among the youth of the city.

Violates Parole; Is Sent To Lancaster

On the grounds that he had repeatedly violated the provisions of his suspended sentence, imposed upon him during the flood of 1913, Juvenile Judge Beatty Monday evening ordered the arrest of Floyd Bowman, a seventeen-year-old local youth. Police officers located the youth a short time after the warrant was placed in their hands. He spent the night in the county jail. Judge Beatty stated Tuesday that he would commit Bowman to the Boys' Industrial School at Lancaster at once.

During the flood young Bowman was arrested on the charge of stealing whiskey from the Winters saloon in the West End, a charge that was later established. At that time, he was given a suspended sentence. About a year ago, he was again ordered in on complaint of the Harbison-Walker Brick Company in the East End, its agents claiming that he had appropriated the contents of a pay envelope containing $21.50. He was again allowed to go upon the promise to pay back the money as rapidly as possible.

Of late, the juvenile court has received word that he has not been conducting himself properly, and as he had made no effort to refund the money, the court ordered him arrested.

ODDS AND ENDS

(Bulletin)

Marseilles, Aug. 18.—(Special Marconigram) — The German cruisers Ich Weis Nicht, the Gesundheit and the Nicht Wahr were sighted ten miles out in the Mediterranean today by the French dreadnaughts Ici Parle, N'est Pas and the submarine R P S V., and your correspondent, Dumme Kerle, has left for the scene of battle in a motor boat and as usual will be the first to transmit to the world the news of the battle.

Here is an incident that happened during the past term which closed and is likely to open again—school. A certain teacher asked her pupils to bring "three items of information about one of the rivers which flows past Portsmouth." From one boy she received this model and concise answer about the Scioto river: "I have fished in it, I have bathed in it and I have fell into it."

Who is Who at the Wedding of the Oceans

Principals—Atlantic and Pacific.
Bridesmaids—Misses Columbia, Chile, Brazil and Argentine.
Best Man—Uncle Sam.
Head Usher—J. Bull.
Ring Bearer—Miss Canada.
Flower Girls—Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, New Orleans, Galveston.
Rejected Suitor—Mons. France.
The Jilted Lady—Miss Colombia.
Jealous Person—Young Japan, Neighbor, Knocking the Arrangements—Mexico.
Colonel Goethals to officiate.

Cynthia—Say, Tom, think of coming to ask papa's consent in such shabby clothes?

Tom—That's all right. I had one suit ruined.—Judge.

Some Current Fiction

"My distinguished opponent."—Young's Stenographic contemporary.

"The eminent counsel for the defense."

"Desirous of strengthening the ties between our two great nations."

"The gifted speaker who has just preceded me."

"The Honorable Visitor."

"Your loving son-in-law."

"This intelligent audience."

A man will run his legs off to tell you that your cow has broken out of the pasture, but he won't devote three minutes of his time to the task of driving her back into the inclosure.

Paw Knows

"Pop, what do we mean by saying discretion is the better part of valor?"

"Generally speaking, my son, we mean that discretion can run faster."—Judge.

When the village of New Boston decided that it could afford to have its streets sprinkled, great care was taken to place a responsible person in charge. That their selection was impeachable is shown in the following:

One day while on his rounds, the driver of the sprinkling cart stopped to gossip with a crony. And suddenly he looked up at the sky.

"Holy mackerel!" was his exclamation, as he started his horses. "It is going to rain."

He turned in farewell and discovered an amazed expression upon his friend's face.

"I must hurry up," he called back, "and water these streets, otherwise it is no use."

A Big Snake.

A copper head snake killed on Lon Ellis' farm on Swanger Valley a few days ago is said to have measured six feet. It was the largest ever seen in that section, say Lon's fellow firemen at the Seventh street engine house.

J. O. Secrest's beautiful home on the hilltop has recently been refreshened and decorated by H. C. Allen, who recently located here and whose furture home was at Birmingham, Ala.

Box No. 38 at the Anderson store, corner Third and Chillicothe streets, caused an alarm while firemen were testing the system Tuesday morning.

Lon Applegate has returned to duty at the South Front street engine house and City Electrician Al Gerlach is now on his vacation.

HAMMER AND PAINT

A building permit was issued Tuesday to C. H. Smith to build a second story to his cottage at 750 Kendall avenue. The improvement will consist of three rooms and a bath and will cost $200.

William W. Wikoff, a carpenter of Glover street, has taken a job with Kelley Bros. building concrete forms for the remainder of the summer.

Miss Louise Dulmert will spend Labor Day among friends at Beaver, Pike County, Ohio.

Mistake In Price

A mistake on the hand bills and posters advertising the N. & W. special train to the Lucasville fair Thursday had the round trip fare as 30 cents instead of 40 cents. The train will leave here at 1 p. m. and returning leave the fair grounds at 5:30 p. m.

POLICE DID GOOD WORK IN MARTING ROBBERY

Chief of Police McCarty feels that an injustice was done the police department in the article concerning the Marting robbery in which it was stated that "it was fully an hour after Mr. Marting notified the police of the robbery before officers appeared on the scene."

The records of the department show, and Chief McCarty so states that in less than three minutes after Mr. Marting phoned to the police department with reference to this robbery, Sergeant Marshall, Officers Mason and Burns were detailed on this case and Officers Flowers and Albrecht notified to immediately go to the scene, and in the shortest possible space of time after the call was registered in the office, these regular officers were at the Marting home, which is some distance away.

The officers did all they could to apprehend the thieves and Chief McCarty states that, after investigation, he is satisfied they did the best that could have been done under the circumstances.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Vinton Chamberlin

Mrs. Vinton Chamberlin, born February 25, 1861, died Sunday, August 16, 1914, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. at her home in Chaffin's Mills after a month's illness with dropsy of the heart.

The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lauderback, who are living near Gephart. Before marriage she was Araintha Lauderback. She was taken ill a little over a month ago and although expected, the news of her death came as a shock to her legion of friends.

The deceased was a good Christian woman always ready to lend a helping hand in the time of need. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist church in Vernon. She had passed her 54th milestone when her Maker called her. All who knew her join in heartfelt sympathy with those who mourn the death of so loveable a wife and mother. Besides her husband, Vinton Chamberlin, seven children, Mrs. Eva Moore, Marion, O.; Mrs. Charles Morgan, Dogwood Ridge; Mrs. Nora Jenkins, Turkey Creek; Anson Chamberlin, Scintoville, and Florence, Nellie and Clara at home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lauderback, of Gephart; five sisters and one brother, are left to mourn her death. One daughter and one son have preceded their mother to the grave.

The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the Vernon Baptist church with Rev. Frank DeMaughter of Scioto Furnace in charge. Burial was made in the Vernon cemetery.

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TO MARRY WEDNESDAY

A marriage license was issued Tuesday afternoon to James T. Andrew, a farmer residing near Lancaster, Ohio, and Clara Catherine Dill, of this city. The ceremony will be performed Wednesday evening at the bride's home by Rev. Albert Martin, pastor of the Fourth Street Methodist church.

MARRIED IN VANCEBURG

Charles Mitchell of Aberdeen, Ohio, employed as pilot on the C. & O. ferryboat Chesapeake, and Miss Julia Wingo, of South Portsmouth, slipped away and were married at Vanceburg, Ky., Monday evening. The bride is a daughter of H. P. Wingo, contracting carpenter and lunch room proprietor of South Portsmouth.

THE MARKETS

GRAIN MARKET OPENING

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 18—Wheat: Sept., 89¾ to 89½; Dec., 95 to 94⅞; May, 102⅜ to 102.

Corn: Sept., 79 to 78⅞; Dec., 69⅛ to 69; May, 70½ to 70⅜.

Oats: Sept., 42⅛; Dec., 45⅞ to 45; May, 48⅛ to 48.

CLOSE

Wheat: Sept., 91; Dec., 99¾; May, 106⅜.

Corn: Sept., 79⅞; Dec., 70⅝; May, 71¾.

Oats: Sept., 43⅛; Dec., 46; May, 49¼.

Garage Robbed

Police officers were notified early Tuesday morning by Dr. L. D. Allred that thieves had broken into his garage some time Monday night and had stolen valuable tools and automobile parts. Officers have been working on the case, but at a late hour Tuesday afternoon had uncovered no clue that would lead to the apprehension of the guilty parties.

Dispute Over An Account

Suit to recover judgment for $298.73, with interest, an amount alleged to be due for merchandise delivered to him, has been entered in the court of common pleas by the Washburn-Crosby Company, flour manufacturers, of Minneapolis, Minn., against Joseph Hooth, a Grandview avenue baker. The petition was filed by Attorneys Miller, Miller and Scarl, of this city.

Preparing Abstracts

Jno. Mitchell is busy preparing abstracts of the lands through which the new traction line to Hanging Rock will pass. It is one of the biggest jobs he has had in a long time.

Outlaws Beaten

Lucasville, Aug. 18—The local boys captured the Outlaws in a double header Sunday, taking both games, 9 to 0 and 10 to 1. Crabtree pitched the first game, allowing but two hits. Martin pitched the second game and allowed but 3 hits.

First game:

	R.	H.	E.
Lucasville	9	12	2
Outlaws	0	2	2

Bateries: Crabtree and Bratton; Seevers and Applegate.

Second game:

	R.	H.	E.
Lucasville	10	12	1
Outlaws	1	3	2

Batteries: Martin and Bratton; Davis and Applegate.

STRUCK BY HAMMER

Harry Riggs, an electrician, was struck a glancing blow over the eye with a sledge hammer at the Portsmouth steel plant Tuesday afternoon. Lynn's ambulance removed him to his home, 1516 Robinson avenue.

Taking Care of Books.

Lon Adams is in temporary charge of John Capehart's coal office while the latter is away on a business trip to Toledo.

Death Claim Paid.

The death claim of Mrs. Catherine Dixon has been paid to her son, Ernest Dixon. It amounted to $125.

Attended Meeting.

D. A. Grimes, local agent of the C. & O. railway, attended a meeting of division agents of the company at Ashland, Ky., Monday afternoon and evening.

WITH THE SICK

August Astholz, who was seriously burned in an explosion at the Excelsior shoe factory last week, is able to be up and about again.

Mrs. Mary Koerner Parker continues quite ill at her home, 1525 Gallia street.

Mrs. Davenport Manuel, of Scioto ville, is recovering slowly from a complication of diseases. She was seriously ill for several days.

Mrs. James Barry, aged mother of Robert Barry, foreman of the Times composing room, is in bad shape with erysipelas at her home on Eighth street. A trained nurse is attending her.

HAMMER AND PAINT

P. E. Roush, contracting painter, is refinishing the front of A. Steinkamp's furniture store on Second street. Mr. Roush is also refinishing the Bond, Union, Campbell avenue, Highland avenue and Eleventh street school buildings.

Carpenter Charles P. Terrell is fitting up an automobile garage in the rear of the property which William F. Assmon and bride are to occupy on Second street near Gay.

Phil Wolff is repainting the front of his battery and clothing store on Chillicothe street.

John M. Doerr & Son are laying a tile floor in the vestibule of their fine new cigar store and factory on Gallia street.

George W. Gillen is raising the foundation of his home at Second and Madison streets and improving the property generally.

Daily Thought.

What I must do is all that concerns me, not what the people think.—Emerson.

Mrs. Otto Zoellner, of Dogwood Ridge, has gone to Cincinnati to visit Dr. Otto Stephan and family.

DAMAGE SUIT IS FILED

The Norfolk and Western Railroad company is made defendant in a suit filed Tuesday afternoon by Attorneys Milner, Miller and Scarl, in which Harry W. Miller and his wife ask to recover judgment for $150, the value of a young horse which they claim was killed by one of the company's trains recently. They allege that the company did not maintain its fences along the line of the Miller farm, and that the horse strayed on the track, where it was struck by an engine and killed.

At Cedar Point

Eugene Stewart left Tuesday morning for a week's sojourn at Cedar Point.

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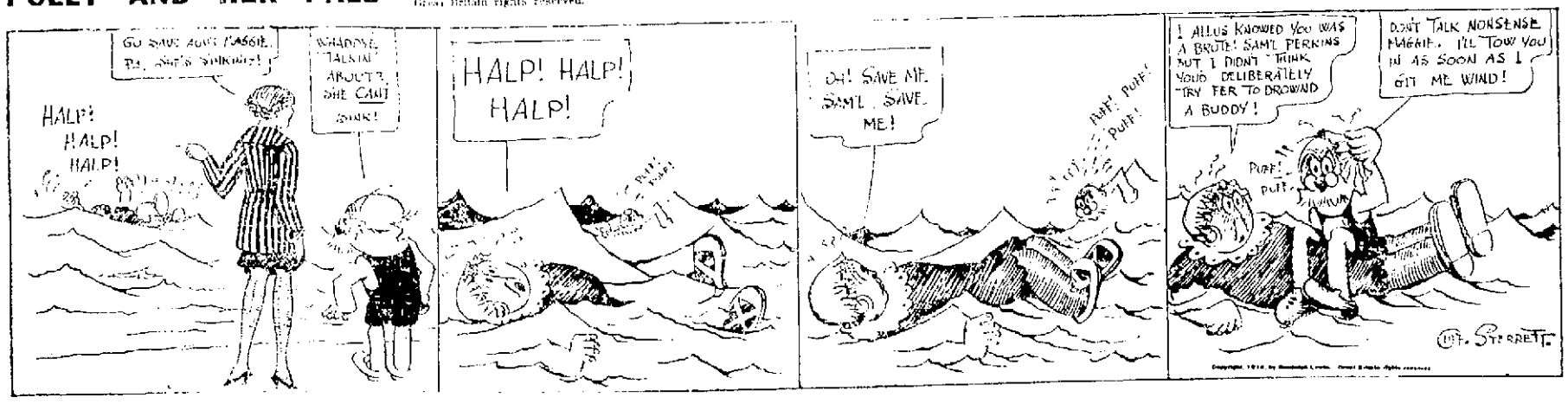

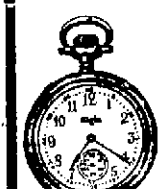

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Fine 5 room cottage, Bellevue, Waller, near Park, bath, pantry, complete hall, gas and electric lights, front and rear porch, hardwood floors, newly papered, vacant $3,550

Large 6 room house, Fifth street near Brown, bath, sewer, gas in hall, pantry, furnace, gas and electric lights, slate roof, large garage, lot 50 ft. front, vacant $4,200

Good 5 room house, offices street, near Eleventh, water, gas, modern, has cabinet mantels, 2-story barn, street assessments all paid, very cheap, terms as rent $2,000

Fine building lots on Chillicothe road, 60x185, near paved pike, fine for a modern or chickens; easy terms or will trade for city property; price $400 and $650.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48, will meet Thursday evening, August 20, at 7 o'clock. Work in the Entered Apprentice Degree. All candidates for this degree expected.

WANTED

WANTED:—To purchase second hand roll curtain office desk. Must be in good condition. Address "B" care Times. 18-4

WANTED:—Good apprentice girl. Apply Mrs. Carter Brown's millinery store, Gallia St. 18-2

WANTED:—Woman with experience for general housework. No washing. Mrs. D. A. Berndt, Gallia and Union. 18-6

WANTED:—Boarders at 410 Campbell Ave. 18-6

NOTICE:—If the party that took the glasses off the porch on 3rd street between Sinton and Waller does not return them police will be notified as party is known. 18-1

H. C. ALLEN—Interior fresco decorator, P. O. Box 191. 18-4

WANTED:—Two unfurnished rooms within two squares of post office. Drawer 401, City. 18-3

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 20tf

WANTED:—To buy second hand clothing and shoes of all kinds. Phone A 1715. 8tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery call John Collins, 1616 7th. Phone A 1146. 12tf

HAULING, Draying, packages delivered. H. Clay Mershon. Phone Y 544. 2tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery call L. S. Warnock, X 777. 25tf

WANTED:—By M. Jacobs Sons 11th and Washington Sts. hides, roots, feathers of all kinds. Phone A 1015. 6tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery, call George Abrams, A 1025. 6-30

WANTED:—Girl to do washing. Call 817 Gallia. 17-3

WANTED:—Good white girl for housework at once. 1816 Timmonds Ave. 17tf

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. No washing. At 1626 Highland Ave. Telephone X 1526. 17-3

AUTO EXCHANGE—Purchase an auto from us and secure an interest in an agency. Address Auto Exchange, Portsmouth, O. 17-2

WANTED: Exceptional good man for exceptional good position. Address Box 288. 17-4

NOTICE:—For auto livery to Louisville Fair call John Neu, Phone B 955. 17-3

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. Phone A 1572. 17-6

WANTED:—Furniture and musical instruments to repair. Corner Front and Sinton. 17-3

WANTED:—Girl to help with general house work. Mrs. W. B. Anderson, Rose Ridge. 17-3

WANTED:—Girl for table waiting. 735 6th St. 17-2

WANTED:—Girl at restaurant. 1100 10th. 14tf

WANTED:—Boarders. Call at 1115 5th St. 15-4

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. Mrs. John W. Berndt, 1317 Lincoln St. 13tf

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For further particulars see Jno. R. Skelton, 842 Ninth street, phone A-1266. 17-5

FOR SALE:—Lunch wagon. 910 7th St. 18-3

FOR SALE:—The M. W. Thompson homestead, 803 Findlay St. One of the most desirable locations in the city. Terms to suit purchaser. See H. F. Thompson, 803 Findlay St. 18-2

FOR SALE:—5 room cottage, bath. Cheap. 1809 8th. 18-1

FOR SALE: Houses and lots in all parts of city; also several houses and large lots Sciotoville and Longmeadow. See W. H. Snoukwiler, Phone X 1582. 14-6

FOR SALE:—Graded Freestone Peaches. Deliver to any part of city. Shall be pleased to show you my orchard. G. A. Flagg, Portsmouth, O. R. F. D. 1. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Or trade, 32 ft. p. motorboat, in good condition. 22 ft. long; for information call 914 7th St. Phone A 1515. 17-3

FOR SALE:—40 acre farm four miles from city on Buena Vista pike.

4 room brick house on 9th St., 3 room house on 6th St., rents $10 per month. Price $850.

4 room house on 6th St., rents $15.00 per month. Price $1550.

7 room house on 7th St., rents $24.00 per month. Price $2800.

Several small farms and houses in different parts of the city. W. L. Baker, Ohio Valley Bank Bldg. Phone X 902. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Cheap grocer's fixtures, child's bed, gas range, sideboard, vacuum sweeper. 1103 Offnere. 17-3

FOR SALE: Dining room and other furniture. 811 2nd St. 17-3

FOR SALE: Cottage on Grimes avenue at a bargain if sold this week. Phone 1449. H. A. Biorley Realty Co. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Oak bed, dresser, mattress, springs, two gas heating stoves, tables. Call Y 1230. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Large lot on Timmonds Ave. A bargain. Phone B 629. 17tf

FOR SALE

6 room two story, 1623 Mound storm sheeted, hardwood floors, street assessment paid, bath, electricity, small payment down. $3250.

Five room cottage, lot 50 by 139, barn, cistern, on hill, $2800. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone A 1405. adv

FOR SALE:—Household goods and carpenter's tools. Apply 1740 Gallia St. 15-3

FOR SALE:—5 room new house on Summit St. $2500.

Lot on Grandview avenue, near Hillcap car line. $1600.

8 room house with bath on 19th St. $3500.

4 room cottage on 18th St. $2400.

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FOR SALE:—6 lots 50x600. Price $450 on easy terms. 10 minutes walk from street car. 4 squares from corporation line. Phone Y 1500. 8tf

FOR SALE:—Cheap. High grade upright piano, leaving city. No 1408 17th St. 5-tf

FOR SALE: Two story house and two lots on Campbell Ave. Also 1 horse. 1201 Jackson. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Automobile, Olds 2 passenger. Good machine. $40. Geo. Anson, 1131 10th St. 17-3

FOR SALE:—4 room cottage, cistern, bath complete. 1817 Summit. Phone A 1435. 10tf

FOR SALE: Modern 7 room house on Hilltop. Phone Y 647 or A 486. 15tf

FOR SALE:—New house on Hill Top car line, east of Grandview. Six rooms and bath, reception hall, pantry, stairway to attic, attic floored, hot and cold water in basement, $3,000. Call Y 1332. 12-10tf

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms all conveniences, northwest corner 4th and Gay. Phone X 191. 18-3

FOR RENT: Five room flat, all conveniences. Call 523 2nd. Phone A 1391. 18-3

FOR RENT:—Front room furnished for light housekeeping. 1110 Gallia. 18tf

FOR RENT: 2 or 3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone B 741. 844 11th. 18-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1508 7th. 18-3

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, corner 6th and Gay Sts. 18tf

Insurance Information MOVED?

If you have moved from your old location, DO NOT FAIL to take your fire insurance policy to your agent and have an endorsement placed on your policy covering in the new location.

If you have no fire insurance you had better get some. The Fire Fiend is no respector of persons and comes when least expected. Better let us protect you.

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NOTICE:—When you want prompt package delivery call Dick Bostwick. 12 Waller. Phone Y 404. 9tf

FOR SALE:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms. All conveniences. 1024 Gallia St. 18-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house on Campbell avenue and Jackson St. $15.00 per month. O. W. Kallam, Phone A 1693. 18tf

FOR RENT:—5 room, modern cottage. Call Kyle's drug store. 18-3

FOR RENT:—Two rooms for light house keping, Elk Bldg. Portsmouth Banking Co. 8tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 822 Chillicothe, side entrance. 17tf

FOR RENT:—Large front room with alcove. Bath and use of telephone. Side entrance. 626 4th St. 15-3

FOR RENT: Front room down stairs for light housekeeping. 852 4th St. 17-2

FOR RENT: New 7 room house, modern conveniences, low rent. Hilltop. 1828 Summit. 17-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 2101 8th St. Bath and Phone. B 1483. 17-6

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 1311 Grandview. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Small furnished front room near post office, electric lights, use of phone, bath and porch, $2 per week. Call evenings 817 6th St. 17-tf

FOR RENT:—New 6 room house 311 Campbell. Bath, gas, basement. $20. Apply 1311 2nd. Phone 344. 26 e o d tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room. 1 square from Chillicothe St. Bath. Apply 905. 4th. 13tf

FOR TRADE:—3 4-room houses in Columbus, O. for farms or Portsmouth real estate. 808 2nd St. J. A. Maxwell. 20tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room all conveniences, 831 8th, east of Chillicothe. 8tf

FOR RENT:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT:—3 room flat, Maxwell Flats, Gallia street opposite Fire department. See J. A. Maxwell. 25-tf

FOR RENT:—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping or sleeping with bath and phone. 1115 3rd St. 14tf

FOR RENT: Very desirable room, bath, electric lights, 644 4th. 7tf

FOR RENT:—Three unfurnished rooms, 1233 Ninth St. 12-6tf

FOR RENT:—3 room cottage, Boundary St. W. L. Baker, Phone X 902. Ohio Valley Bank. 17-3

FOR RENT—8 room house, water, gas, cistern, large barn, 1126 8th St. Good location, no bath. Can be used for two families. Phone 264. Otto Zoellner & Bro. 13tf

FOR RENT:—4 room house Kendall avenue, near 8th. Phone B 193. 11tf

LOST

LOST: Pocket book containing $1.00 bill and other money between B. & O. station and Front St. Call B 1573. Reward. 17-3

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DUGAN'S GROVE CHOSEN FOR EMANCIPATION DAY

At a meeting held at the Find Lay Street Methodist church (colored) Monday evening Lawrence Johnson was elected president and Charles Johnson to take care of the Emancipation Day celebration on September 22nd. The place for the celebration was chosen at Dugan's Grove, near Lucasville.

Several committees will be named in a few days by the president and they are to perfect the arrangements for a program for that day. The Enterprised Rank K. of P. No. 6 (colored) will give a large picnic on Emancipation Day at Millbrook Park.

HAY FEVER VICTIM WANTS WEEDS IN THE CITY CUT

Almost every conceivable kind of complaint reaches the mayor's office these days. The latest is one from E. P. Hawley of 1114 Third street, this city, who says that the weeds throughout the city should be cut down as a favor to the hay fever sufferers of the city. As a hay fever sufferer himself, Mr. Hawley asks the mayor to see that the proper attention is given the matter. In his reply, the mayor informed Mr. Hawley that he is doing all in his power to have the weeds cut down.

TERMINALS

P. B. Osborne, of the Y. M. C. A., returned Monday evening after conducting a series of revival meetings at Clare, Ohio. Mr. Osborne has moved his family from Summit street to 3007 Gallia pike, Terminals.

Leslie Williams and James McCrin of the N. & W. division offices, are still faithful followers of the Cincinnati Reds although the team is at the bottom. They claim the Reds will finish fourth but did not state whether the first or second division.

D. F. Peters, N. & W. Scioto Division trainmaster, had his left ankle badly sprained Monday afternoon while superintending the cleaning up the wreck near Pennsytown in which three men were killed and several others badly injured. He stepped in a hole, his ankle turning, causing a bad sprain.

Max Caskey, N. & W. clerk, returned home Monday evening from the scene of the wreck near Pennsytown. Max was off duty Sunday evening when passenger train No. 24 was detoured over the C. & O. to this city.

Within two days, Sunday and Monday, five persons met death on the Scioto division of the N. & W. Not one of the persons killed was an employee of the railroad, all being hoboes and trespassers. Three met death in the wreck at Perintown Sunday, Steve Cameron was killed at Waverly Monday evening and the body of an unknown negro was found in a box car at Coal Grove Monday afternoon. The car was loaded with large steel rods and it is thought that several of the rods fell on him while he was asleep. He was badly crushed about the head. The body was turned over to the county authorities at Ironton.

LOST: Black chiffon veil with brown border between New Boston and Dixon's N. 1st. Reward if returned to 702 9th St. 18-1

James J. Sarver, N. & W. timber inspector, will leave shortly for a visit to Norfolk, Va.

R. A. Buckner, superintendent of the Southern Express company, was calling at the N. & W. offices Tuesday. He stopped in this city for a short time lately on his way East.

W. W. Miller and wife will leave in a few day for a visit with friends and relatives in Cincinnati.

Ray Duvendeck and Arthur Lines, N. & W. clerks of the novelty power department, will leave on a vacation trip Wednesday but at Darling Point Auction Lake will visit W. Brighton, Atlantic City, Philadelphia, Norfolk, Va., Roanoke and Hagerstown, Maryland.

Conductor C. F. English and Fireman George Moore were on engine No. 54 which was pulling passenger train No. 2 when killed near Cameron Monday at Waverly.

The ice making plant at the Y. M. C. A. will be running in a couple of more weeks. The plant is supposed to be in operation last week but owing to several parts of the machinery not arriving the start of the plant had to be put off. The four ten-horse power engines in the power house are in place and the last line of the ice plant will be in place ready for the first "licks."

Earl B. Simpson, assistant secretary at the Y. M. C. A., and family left Monday for Boston where they will spend two weeks in camp, Thursday.

GOV. OFFICIALS EXAMINE WATER

[illegible] Scioto River water, which has been rising on all summer.

WIFE MAKES CHARGES IN DIVORCE PETITION

Charging habitual drunkenness, extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty, Mrs. Emma Oscenton has filed suit for divorce in the common pleas court against her husband, John T. Oscenton, whom she married at Portsmouth, December 23, 1904. The couple have no children.

The plaintiff alleges that her husband at different times cursed and abused her, threatened her life, drove her away from home, and refused to provide for her. By reason of all of which she says that her health has been permanently impaired.

She further claims that on August 11, 1914, her husband, while under the influence of liquor, drove her away from home and that she has not cohabited with him since. His treatment of her has rendered her almost blind, she alleges.

In addition to a divorce decree, the plaintiff wants her husband's dower interest to two lots in Portsmouth which she owned forever barred, and wants a third tract now in the defendant's name awarded to her on the ground that she furnished the greater part of the money for its purchase.

Judge Thomas has issued an order restraining Oscenton from disposing of or encumbering the property and also from visiting his wife at her home. Attorneys Millar & Micklethwait are the plaintiff's attorneys.

Mr. Pepper Honored By Business Men

Signal honor was paid to W. A. Pepper, proprietor of the One to Twenty-five Cent Store on Chillicothe street, at the national convention of the National Association of Five and Ten Cent Store Merchants at St. Louis last week, when he was unanimously chosen as secretary-treasurer of the association. Mr. Pepper has been an active member in the organization for years, and he stands high in its councils.

Over 400 merchants attended the convention, which was the most interesting in the history of the association. There were 125 displays of merchandise, arranged by the members of the Manufacturers' Association who took advantage of the opportunity to display their wares before the assemblage of live merchants.

On his way home, Mr. Pepper stopped off at Chicago and Cleveland for short business visits, returning home late Monday night. He was gone about ten days.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Aug. 18, 1914.

(Observations taken at 8 a. m., 75th Meridian Time.)

	Height River	Fall	Height of Water	Fall	Character Weather past 24 hrs.	Precipitation Inches past 24 hrs.
Franklin	15	-0.5 F	0			.06
Greensboro	18	7.4 F	-0.1			0
Pittsburgh	22	5.0 F	-0.5			0
Wheeling	36	8.5 F	0.2			0
Zanesville	25	7.8 F	0			0
Parkersbg	36	2.9 F	-0.3			0
Charleston	30	6.8 F	0			0
Pt. Pleasant	39	1.9 F				0
Portsmouth	50	4.7 F	-0.1			0
Cincinnati	50	12.2 R	0.2			0

Forecast

Unsettled; probably local showers and somewhat cooler over Upper Ohio Valley tonight and Wednesday.

River will not change much.

H. C. DONNALLY, River Observer.

The Ohio river was 4.7 feet and falling here Tuesday morning. Wednesday's packet departures: Str. Greendale for Cincinnati at noon, Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m., Str. Bay Queen for Huntington at 3 p. m.

There was a rumor on the streets Tuesday that the library would be closed because "smallpox" was found in the dictionary.

Good Man Back On Job

Mr. Chas. Loneden, piano tuner, has returned from a three weeks' trip through Kentucky and Tennessee and will resume his former position with the Hutchison Music Co.

Home.

This is the true nature of home—it is the place of peace; the shelter not only from all injury, but from all terror, doubt and division.—Ruskin.

Capital City Plant Resumes

The Capital City Dairy company's plant at Columbus, with which a number of local dealers do business, has resumed operations. The plant was seized by government officials July 29th. The seizure was made under the revenue laws and the plant owners have just given bond.

YOU'LL GET RID OF BLACKHEADS SURE

There is one simple, safe and sure way that never fails to get rid of blackheads and that is to dissolve them.

To do this get about two ounces of plain powdered peroxide from any drug store, sprinkle a little on a wet sponge, rub over the blackheads briskly—wash the parts and you will be surprised how many blackheads have disappeared. The blackheads, little blackheads, no matter where they are, simply dissolve and disappear, leaving the parts without any mark whatever. Blackheads are simply a mixture of dust and dirt and secretions from the body that form in the pores of the skin. Pinching and squeezing only cause inflammation, make large pores, and do not get the blackheads out after they become hard. The powdered peroxide and the water simply dissolve the blackheads so they wash right out, leaving the pores free and clean and in their natural condition. Anyone troubled with these unsightly blemishes should certainly try this simple method.

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Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise—I am a young married woman, a bride of two weeks and my husband and I are in a bitter quarrel. My aunt with whom I live told me I must commence married life as I meant to end—by insisting upon my husband turning over every cent of his wages to me every Saturday night, I to dole out the expenses as I thought right. My request came as a great surprise to my husband. He replied that he could not comply with my demand owing to the fact he was owing some bills which he had agreed to settle and meant to keep his word. We had it hot and heavy, my husband saying that if he had known that was my idea before marriage, he wouldn't have married me. My aunt says: "Be firm; he will have to give in." My husband declares he will not. Do please tell me what to do as quickly as you can, for my husband and I do not speak and I am afraid he will leave me and break up the pretty little home we have just started.

HEARTBROKEN SADIE.

With due respect to your aunt, it was mistaken kindness on her part to attempt to influence or run your new home for you after marriage. There are husbands and husbands. Many good men hand over their earnings good naturedly to their wives of their own accord. If so, well and good. There are other equally as estimable husbands who object to this procedure. Each should do as he sees fit. Often the generous husband becomes close fisted with his wife later on and the man who has held on his purse at the outset the most generous. Live in harmony with your husband or love will fly from your home. Be reasonable. Trust to his affection and judgment to do what is right by you.

Dear Miss Wise—I read your column and am interested in it. I often wonder why so many young men seem to have it in for a mother-in-law. I often think the reason why so many sensible young girls fear to marry is because they are afraid the husband would be unkind to their dear mothers. All men are not like that. If I were to marry a girl whose folks were poor, the first thing I would do would be to take care of the mother. I am a clean Christian boy of 21 with a good railroad position, and have saved a little. What chance do you think I have of winning a nice, honorable young girl?

JOHN.

Every chance in the world, John, for you seem to have the right kind of principles. I print your letter that many a girl who is poor and the sole support of a dependent mother may read and take heart of hope that some good man like you may cross her path and lift the heavy burden from her frail shoulders.

Dear Miss Wise.—There is a girl where I am employed who is very gentle in her ways. Our employer sometimes is harsh and commanding to others, but never to her. He does things for her, such as sharpening her pencils. When a man acts that way, don't you think the girl has an influence over him, and do you think he loves her?

CURIOUS.

A man's gentleness and consideration does not always mean his love, it just means he is a gentleman. You attend to your own work and don't bother about anyone else's affairs so long as they do not interfere with you in any way.

Dear Miss Wise—Please suggest something nice to serve at a stork shower; also some sort of amusement. Who presents the gifts, when, and in what way? Should the recipient know of this, or should it be in the nature of a surprise?

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

Serve a salad, sandwiches and tea. Have each guest write out a good wish for the expected baby, and give them all to the mother to keep. The hostess presents the gifts in a decorated basket. Either way.

Dear Miss Wise—I have been corresponding with an out-of-town girl for some time. I gave her a birthday present and a Christmas present, but do not care a great deal for her any more and would like to quit corresponding. But judging from her letters, she likes me and I don't like to tell her right out that I want to quit. Her birthday will be this month. Do you advise me to send her a birthday greeting or present? If so, what shall I send?

WORRIED.

Don't send any more gifts. Write a little note telling her you think the correspondence had better stop.

Dear Miss Wise—What is meant by high noon?

AZALEA.

At noontime precisely; at midday.

If Glen L. and Raymond B. of Sciotoville, will kindly mail me their addresses, I may have some interesting communication to send them.

Dear Miss Wise—Can you tell me what will remove ice cream soda stains and grass stains?

UNHAPPY.

I am told that ice cream soda stains may be removed by stretching them with gasoline or chloroform, with a blotting paper under the spot. When dry, soak again and rub with a piece of flannel until dry. For grass stains rub hard on the stains soap remain for a few moments, then wash. Soaking in cold water sometimes removes the stains.

Dear Miss Wise—I have [illegible] friends have [illegible] who take [illegible] them a good time. Mother [illegible] am too young. [illegible] Don't you think [illegible] long it very impolite [illegible] I will be so [illegible] I will go with [illegible] ask of [illegible] course I told [illegible] He burst out laughing, saying a girl of sixteen was old enough to take her own heart affairs in her own hands. I am oh, so dissatisfied when I see girls going out evening after evening while I am obliged to stay at home. Girl friends have asked me to come to their homes and have my beau there. Would you advise me to do so?

MARGUERITE.

It is so easy to ask advice, but it is hard to take it if it is contrary to what you would like to do. I think a girl of sixteen, still in school, should not be worrying over beaux and marrying. By the time you are two or three years older you will probably meet a nice young man who will be thankful indeed to be your first beau. That is the girl most men propose marriage to. If girls would only obey their good, kind, loving mothers, there would be fewer broken hearts.

Never meet a young man clandestinely. I have a poor opinion of so-called girl friends who would counsel you to disobey the one whom God has commanded you, in His great wisdom, to love, honor—and obey.

Dear Miss Wise—I am a girl of fourteen and I wish very much that I had a beau. When I am on the street or go to shows, the boys all look at me. The other day a boy followed me to a picture show, sitting back of me. Every time I turned around he smiled at me. I look sixteen or seventeen, my friends say, and they also say I am very pretty. Do you think it is wrong for me to wish to get a beau? Mother and father don't care. Please help me out.

M.

I do not like to say anything cross, but really this little girl deserves to have a hard lecture read to her. It is the duty of mothers to look closely after such girls, to guard them from their own wilful indiscretions. People often wonder why mothers insist upon daughters of this tender age helping them with the housework, sewing, etc., giving them little or no spare time. Their reason is obviously wise. There are girls who get into mischief if idle, and their thoughts run to boys, boys, boys. A strict supervision should be kept upon little girls inclined to flirt with boys on the street or at the shows. No good comes of it. Such little girls would blush for shame if they only knew how boys laughed and talked about them, making no end of fun of them.

Dear Miss Wise: Please publish a recipe for taffy.

YOURS TRULY.

Six cups sugar, three cups water, one pound glucose, one-fourth teaspoonful baking soda, one teaspoonful ginger extract, one teaspoonful lemon extract, one tablespoonful boiling water. Dissolve the sugar in cold water, add the glucose and the soda dissolved in the boiling water. Cook until brittle when tried in cold water.

HOW WOMEN AVOID OPERATIONS

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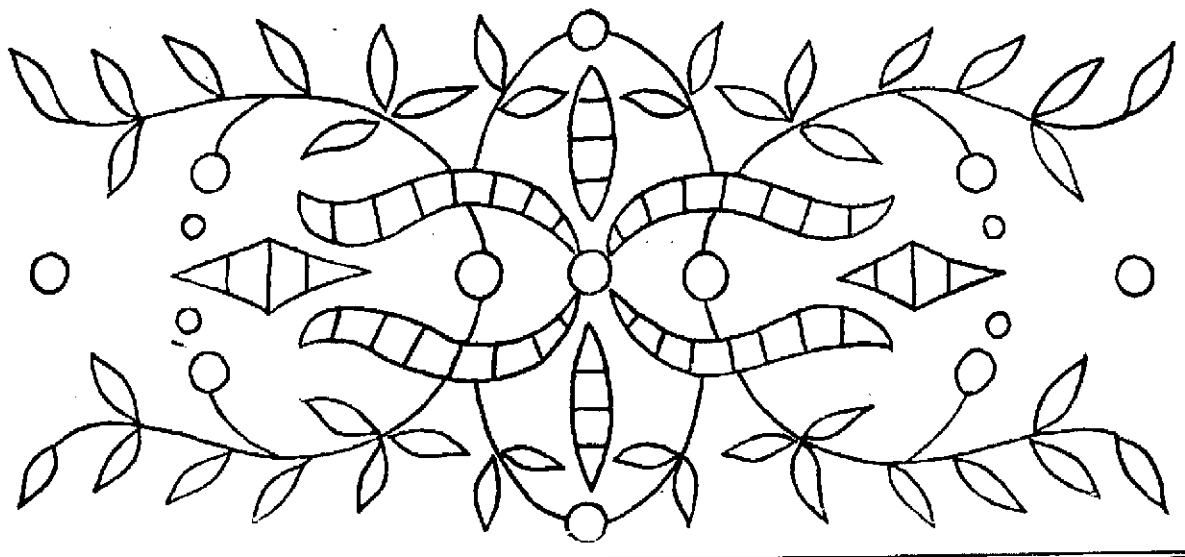
Cleveland, Ohio—"My left side pained me so for several years that I expected to have to undergo an operation, but the first bottle I took of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of the pains in my side and I continued its use until I became regular and free from pains. I had asked several doctors if there was anything I could take to help me and they said there was nothing that they knew of. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. GRIFFITH, 7206 Madison Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

Hanover, Pa.—"I suffered from female trouble and the pains were so bad at times that I could not sit down. The doctor advised a severe operation but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it. What joy and happiness it is to be well once more. I am always ready and willing to speak a good word for the Compound."—Mrs. ADA WILE, 136 Black St., Hanover, Pa.

If there are any complications you do not understand write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

MOTIF FOR LONG PINCUSHION



In the motif for the long pincushion, the leaves are solidly worked with the dots as eyelets and the stems in the outline stitch. The curved figures are closely buttonholed with the purling brought to the inside. The cross bars are formed of strands of the cotton stretched from side to side and buttonholed across without catching through the material which is cut away underneath. Use mercerized cotton No. 20.

DIRECTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING

In taking off these patterns, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and with a hard, sharp pencil draw firmly over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through.

No patterns of these designs are available.

SOCIETY

Jos. Schaefer and George Sommer and their families, Mrs. W. H. Wagner and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Schaefer and baby daughter, Mary Elizabeth, Mrs. Caroline Pfau, Forest Holbrook and Misses Ruth and Helen Spencer visited the Serpent Mound in Adams county, Sunday. The party made the round trip in two autobiles.

Misses Mayme Weekly, Ruth Jeffries, Hattie Tatman, Maude McWilliams, Jessie Halstead, Lenore Harrison, Ada Kress, Leone McCrean and Bella Smith have returned after spending the week-end at Shady Side Camp in Kentucky.

Fred Hanson, Miss Virgie McGonagle and Miss Alice Margaret Rowe, of Gallipolis, motored to this city Sunday, spending the day as guests of Miss Helen Lockwood, of Eighth and Sixth streets.

Misses Regina and Veronica Mulvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Mulvey, of Columbus, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Frank Meyer, of Fifth street. A fam Sommer [illegible] and Mr. and Mrs. John Hotz, of New [illegible] street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennett, of [illegible], Ky., have returned from [illegible] a trip through [illegible] Richmond, Va., Washington, Norfolk, [illegible] Niagara Falls [illegible] from the [illegible] New York, Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Washington, D. C.

[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Conroy, Jr., expect to leave Saturday for Cedar Point to attend the annual state outing of the Knights of Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riegel, formerly of this city, are here from Nashville, Ky., for a few days' visit. Mr. Riegel, who was formerly with the Hilds Hardware company, is now on the road for the Kruse, Biddle-Hall Hardware company of Cincinnati, his territory comprising twenty-two counties of Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hankins and children, of Poplar street, East Portsmouth, expect to leave Wednesday for a two weeks' visit to relatives at Little Hocking, O.

Miss Kate Roush, of Eighth street, spent the week-end at Greenlart as guest of Miss Katie Mauck, whose parents reside there.

Mrs. D. W. Rose and daughter, Ada, have returned from Peebles, where they attended the Chautauqua.

After a very pleasant ten days' visit with her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Goodlove, and also Miss Ann Hoe McGuire, of Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Miss Dorothy Bender returned home yesterday, accompanied by her cousin, Mr. Howard Goodlove, who will visit for a few days at the Bender home.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Monday, Mrs. Charles Morris, of Pittsburg, Pa., and Mrs. Rose Fischer, of Los Angeles, Cal.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Presbyterian church will have its monthly [illegible] Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. [illegible] Fifteenth street.

Mrs. Frank Moore and [illegible] Harvey, of Third street, [illegible] to Cutlettsburg for a few days' visit with Mrs. Greene Adams.

Miss Louise Conroy has gone to Camp Arion to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins.

After a month's visit with his sister, Mrs. E. C. Bradford, of Sunnyside, Mr. Richard McSAll has returned to his home in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conroy have returned from a pleasurable two weeks' outing at Goshen and Old Sweet Springs, Va.

After a pleasant three weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Chillicothe, Mrs. Wm. Bauer and son, Billy, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ely Brown have returned home after a delightful ten days' visit with Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Brown, of Batavia, Ohio.

Mrs. George Parker Johnson, of Richmond, Va., wife of the general manager of the C. & O., arrived here this morning for a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Trotwhart.

Mrs. Sheets, who has been visiting friends here, returned yesterday to her home in Ashland, Ky.

The Pie Social to be given Thursday evening by the Missionary Society of the Hutchins Street Baptist church, in the church basement, has been postponed until the following Monday evening.

Sunday's Columbus Dispatch contained an interesting writeup of the wedding of Mr. James Rodger and Miss Virginia Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Price, of Columbus, formerly of Portsmouth, which took place at the home of the bride's parents at 330 Woodland avenue. In the [illegible] mention of the wedding in Monday's Times, accompanying the article were pictures of the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Rodger left on a trip the happy couple will be at home to their friends at 964 East Schiller street, Columbus.

Young Beckett is the son of Senator and Mrs. Beckett, of Columbus, and is a young man of much promise. His bride has a host of friends in this city, who will hasten to offer congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm have returned from their vacation trip to Mackinac, Mich.

Volney Thomson and daughter, Miss Perlina Thomson, of Frost, Ky., left Tuesday for a two weeks' sojourn at French Lick Springs, Ind.

George D. Nye and William Hilbon, Waverly young men, formed a committee in charge of an informal dance given at Pendergrass hall at Waverly Monday evening. Ten young C. & O. surveyors, who are in Waverly making a change in the original survey of the Chesapeake and Ohio Northern route, were among the dancers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Linck, Jacob Kah and wife and Mrs. Sophia Donvall left Tuesday morning for Toledo to attend the state meeting of the Order of Harugari.

Prof. and Mrs. D. P. Pratt, of Fourth street, are expected home Wednesday from a two months' visit in Chicago.

Miss Fannie Lycan, after a pleasant visit to her sisters, Mrs. C. E. Kittinger, of Grandview avenue, and Mrs. Fredia Hampton, of Baird [illegible] has returned to her home in Ferguson, West Virginia. Miss Lycan was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Hampton and little niece, Bernice Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Seid, of Eighth street, charmingly entertained at dinner Friday evening their sister, Miss Mary E. York, and guests, Mrs. Gertrude Kelly and son, Walter, of Covington, Ky., and Miss Florence Barber, of Dayton, a charming cousin of Mrs. Seid and Miss York.

Mrs. Harry Meister and daughter, Cornelia, and Miss Jess Evans, of Eighth street, have returned from a few days' visit with relatives on Dogwood Ridge.

Miss Emma Bentine, of Scioto-ville, has returned from a week's vacation, which she spent in Columbus visiting relatives and friends. Miss Bentine is a telephone operator. She was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kent while in the Capital City.

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Powell, who are on their annual vacation tour, have received cards from them within the past few days, postmarked Niagara Falls. Rev. Powell is pastor of the M. E. Episcopal church in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Herbst, of this city, spent Sunday in Circleville with the guests of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. David Edwards, of Cincinnati, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Faivre, of Third street, and other relatives and friends in this city.

Friends of the Misses Angie and Agnes Seidel, of this city, are in receipt of cards from them, written at New York City, where they spent a few days of their vacation. They will visit Niagara Falls, Chicago, Columbus and Bucklel, O., before returning home.

Cliff Moeller, Eugene Stewart, Gus Brunner, Percy Faubert, and Walter Bittner, composed a merry party which left Portsmouth Monday afternoon for a pleasure trip to Chicago and return in the Moeller automobile.

Mrs. J. W. Hutchens and son, Harry, of Scioto-ville, have returned home from a short visit to Cincinnati.

Mrs. Carey Walden, of Scioto-ville, has returned home after a visit with Mrs. Louis Trace of Coulton, Ohio.

Miss Muriel Nourot, book-keeper at Hall Brothers' store, is back at her desk after a two weeks' vacation which she spent at Rushtown.

Misses Margaret and Carrie Kern, of Second street, were accompanied home from Cincinnati, Sunday night by their grandmother, Mrs. Nicholas Kitt, who will remain here for a visit.

Henry C. Schaefer and wife and Mrs. J. W. Jung, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Baird, of Cleveland, have returned to their homes after a visit to Frank Graf and family, of this city, and William Kinney, of Otway.

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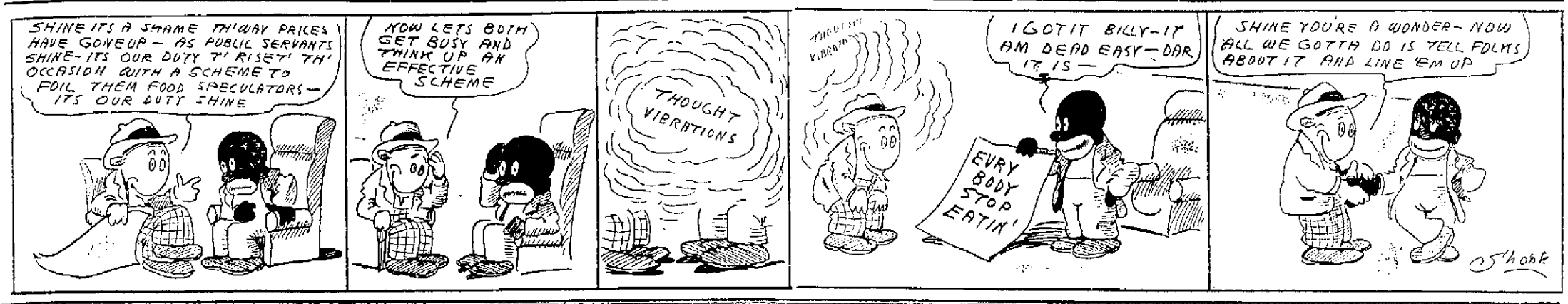

EMPEROR OF GERMANY RECEIVES OVATION ON LEAVING FOR WAR

Berlin, Via Copenhagen and London, Aug. 18.—The German emperor before his departure from the imperial capital on Sunday, was greeted at the station with such warmth and enthusiasm which brought a smile of joy to his bronze face which hitherto had borne a serious look. The police found difficulty in holding back the enthusiastic crowd from the imperial carriage. Accompanying the emperor on the train were the imperial chancellor, Von Bethman-Hollweg, the foreign minister, the chief of staff, the minister of war and several members of the general staff. Many Princes of the German confederation, who are not in active service, also visited today for headquarters.

The only information about the war was a list of officers killed. Among those were those of two majors belonging to the same regiments who were killed on August 16. The list includes a number of captains and three lieutenants. Another victim is the wife of Capt. Von Klutzow, who was killed in the enemy's country while traveling with the body of her husband.

FORESEE END OF THE WAR BY DECEMBER 31

London, Eng., Aug. 18.—The odds are even at Lloyds that the war will be over by December 31. The underwriters have quoted a 50 percent premium on policies to insure the payment of total loss in the event of no peace pact being signed by the last day of this year.

Cruiser Leipzig Sails From Frisco

San Francisco, Aug. 18—With her crew cleared for action and her band on board, the German cruiser Leipzig steamed out of the Golden Gate at 8:20 a. m. today. During the 28 hours she was in the harbor the cruiser was coaled and supplied with a large quantity of fuel. Before his departure the commander announced that he would cruise up and down the Pacific looking for prizes of war. It is considered more probable, however, that the vessel is in the way to Samoan. If she attempts to capture British ships off the coast, she is likely to come in conflict with the Japanese cruiser Idzumo, which is rushing north from Mexico. The Japanese vessel is powerful and much superior to the German cruiser.

German Alliance Seeks Aid Of U. S. In Holding Japan Off

Washington, Aug. 18—The National German Alliance of Philadelphia today called upon President Wilson to make representations to Japan not to engage in a European conflict. A telegram to White House, signed by Dr. C. Hexemer, relates a number of reasons why the United States should take hand in the present situation, including the fact that German trade in the far East must be protected. President Wilson will, it is believed, decline to take any action on the line indicated. He contends that the United States shall remain absolutely neutral.

The Alliance claims there is no reason to oust Germany from the far East, and suggests that resort be made to The Hague to adjust the difficulty of Kiau-Chau.

The White House today emphasized President Wilson's declaration of yesterday that the obligation of neutrality of this nation forbids a discussion of the Japanese-German situation. A reiteration of the President's position was interpreted to mean that the United States will keep hands off. Secretary Bryan and Charge Van Hamlmansen of the German embassy conferred with the state department today over the Japanese ultimatum and the situation of Americans in Germany. Although the appointment was sought by the German charge, neither would discuss the conference.

The troops were assembled at different bases, one of the largest contingents embarking at Dublin, Ireland. Many other regiments sailed from Liverpool while still others took ship at Eastbourne, Southhampton and other ports along the coast of the English Channel. The transportation of soldiers lasted several days, and during that time not a mention of the expedition was permitted.

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Kaiser Desires To Be Set Right Before American People

Washington, Aug. 18—White House officials characterized as absolutely untrue in every particular published reports that Emperor William through Ambassador Gerard had complained to President Wilson that Germany was being maligned in the United States and that her motives were being deliberately misrepresented in a campaign to foster anti-German sentiment.

Washington, Aug. 18.—"Germany's motives are misunderstood, misconstrued and deliberately misrepresented in a campaign to foster anti-German sentiment in the United States." This is the gist of a complaint made to the United States government by Kaiser Wilhelm and lead before President Wilson by Secretary Bryan. The Kaiser resented the charge that Germany is responsible for the almost universal war cloud over Europe. "Russia is to blame," the Kaiser declares.

From a high official source it is stated that these representations were made to President Wilson by the German ruler. Ambassador Gerard was the medium of the communication. The Kaiser did not ask that any statement regarding his contentions be formally made by this government to the American people, but merely asked that he be set right with President Wilson and the administration.

WAR BULLETIN

St. Petersburg, Aug. 18.—The Russian government today announced receipt of a dispatch from Warsaw saying that representatives of the Polish political societies had telegraphed the commander of the Russian armies profound emotion and thanks and hopes of victory against the common enemy.

London, Aug. 18—A dispatch from Rome says that Austrian torpedo boat No. 10 struck a mine in the harbor entrance at Pola in the Adriatic and sunk. Only one member of the crew was saved.

Paris, Aug. 18.—A dispatch from Brussels says that the battle in the north is turning to the advantage of the Belgians. Belgian forces are said to have blocked the move southward undertaken by three corps of the German army.

Stockholm, Sweden, Aug. 18.—There are rumors here that the German Vice Consul at Abo, Finland, and three brothers were condemned to death and executed at St. Petersburg on a charge of having tried to procure ten Finnish pilots for German warships.

Paris, Aug. 18.—It was announced that the French forces are retiring and defeated and are retreating in gerat disorder as the French troops have taken enormous quantities of supplies abandoned by the Germans. They are advancing toward Strassburg.

Shanghai, China, Aug. 18.—The Japanese government sent a formal request to China asking the government to use all the influence to persuade Germany to evacuate Kiau Chau and to peacefully turn it over to the Chinese Republic.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Japan's ultimatum to Germany to withdraw from Kiu-Chau has been delivered to the foreign office in Berlin through Copenhagen.

Paris, Aug. 18.—A German aeroplane was destroyed in Russia in "Samno, Russia," and four German aviation officers killed, according to official announcement here. It is thought that Salma, Finland, is probably meant.

SIXTH VICTIM OF CARLTON EXPIRES

Springfield, Wis., Aug. 18.—Thomas Brunker, aged 66, died here today making the sixth victim of Julian Carlton, the negro, who last Saturday killed Mamah Borthwick and four others at the bungalow of Frank Wright, near here. Besides the wounds from Carlton's hatchet, Brunker was fearfully burned in the fire which destroyed the home. He is survived by ten children.

MEAT PROBE IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Aug. 18—Subpoenas were placed in the hands of United States Marshals requiring the presence of ten of the leaders in the Chicago packing industry to appear before the federal grand jury examining into the recent increases in meat prices. The witnesses probably will appear tomorrow.

INTENTIONS OF JAPAN

Tokio, Aug. 18.—Count Okuma, the Japanese premier, today in addressing a gathering of business men from various parts of Japan, reiterated the statements he had made to members of parliament, merchants and industrial men of Tokio early in the morning. "Japan's warlike operations," he added, "will not extend beyond the limits necessary for the attainment of objects of defense for her own legitimate interests. The imperial government will take no such action as will give to a third party cause for anxiety or uneasiness of their territory."

Crawford's Expense

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 18.—In a statement filed with the secretary of state, Mark Crawford, Portsmouth, says he spent $556.17 in his candidacy for the congressional nomination.

The Hague, Aug. 18.—Persistent rumors are in circulation that Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany has been wounded and is dying at Aix-La-Chappelle. It is reported that Emperor William is hastening to his side. No official news has been received concerning these reports.

London, Aug. 18 The British government admitted today for the first time that it had sent an expeditionary force to France. It did so in a statement issued to the official press bureau of the war office and the admiralty. The expeditionary force detailed for foreign service has safely landed on French soil. The embarkation, transportation and disembarkation of men and horses was carried through with the greatest precision and without a single casualty.

Shanghai, Aug. 18—Two German cruisers have been disabled and towed into harbor at Hong Kong, according to information received here today. The dockworks and turrets of the two cruisers were demolished and their masts and funnels shot away. Owing to the rigid censorship of the British authorities at Hong Kong it was impossible to obtain the names of the two cruisers. England owns the territory on which Hong Kong lies on the east coast of China.

Brief Facts About The Island Kingdom Of Japan

Total population, 67,142,798.

Approximate area, 162,000 square miles.

The empire is composed of 4000 islands; only about 500 are inhabited.

Japan's total war strength is 1,200,000 men.

Japan's national debt, $1,138,410,226.

Per capita tax is $21.93.

Harunomiya, the emperor, is supreme commander of the army and navy.

General Baron Uyehara, is the war minister, and General Viscount Hasegawa is chief of staff.

Count Ito and Viscount Inouye command the Jap fleet, which consist of 13 armored cruisers, four battleships and a torpedo fleet of 129 vessels. The naval force, men and officers, number 49,389 men.

RUSSIA GETS MOBILIZED

London, Aug. 18.—The Russian embassy here has received a notice that the Russian mobilization has been completed. Eleven members of the imperial family have gone to the front, it is said.

A delayed cablegram from St. Petersburg says that the Czar left the capital August 12th for Moscow, to make his headquarters with the army.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Emergency legislation to create a government bureau which would insure steamers transporting American products abroad was read for presentation in the house today. It would supplement the new shipping bill passed by Congress.

SOCIETY

The many friends of George W. Sheppard, local attorney, and Miss Mayme Boyer, former superintendent of the Hempstead hospital will be surprised to learn of the marriage of this couple, who in the language of the press "slipped one over on their friends" and were united in the happy bonds of matrimony on February 19th at the home of Miss Boyer's sister in Davenport, Iowa. Although expected for sometime the marriage will come as a surprise.

Miss Boyer and Mr. Sheppard went to Columbus a few days before their marriage to witness the play, "The Whip," and on their return from the Capital City they went to Davenport, Iowa, for a visit with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Washburn. The wedding was solemnized by Rev. Kauffman, a Presbyterian minister, at eight o'clock on the evening of February 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard have gone to housekeeping at 1321 Seventeenth street where they are ready to receive their friends.

Mrs. John Brubart and little son, Billy, came home this morning after a week's outing at Adams County Mineral Springs.

Little Miss Clara Gilde, of Glover street, returned home yesterday after a ten days' visit at Kendall's farm.

Miss Harriet Mackey, of Wheelersburg, has returned home after a week's visit with Miss Carol Dugan, of Huntington, W. Va.

One of the most delightful events of the season was the surprise party at the home of Mr. William Kaltenbach, of South Webster, Monday evening. Quite a number of his old friends and children gave him a good surprise, it being his 57th birthday anniversary. After giving him a "jolly laugh," the crowd was all seated and a good many jokes were told, which kept them in laughter. Mr. Geo. Gullum made a little talk, also Mr. J. P. Grant, which were greatly appreciated. Music was rendered by Mr. A. K. Fenton, on the violin, accompanied on the organ by his daughter, Mrs. Joe Kaltenbach.

After refreshments of pink and white ice cream and cake were served, the crowd departed for their homes, wishing Mr. Kaltenbach "many more happy birthdays."

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Kaltenbach and children, Elmer, Herbert, Lessie, Lottie, Jessie, Harriet, Edward, Stanley, Marcella and Dudley; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams; Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Fenton; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinker; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Grant; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Potts; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Potts; Mr. and Mrs. John Potts and daughter Ollie; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shepe and daughter, Hilda; Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stroth and children, Cilee, Clarence and Leonard; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kaltenbach and children, Orville, Helen and Paul Edwin; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shepe and children, Silva and George Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strong; Mr. and Mrs. George Gullum; and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kaltenbach; Mr. Fred Shepe and Mr. Jim Stroth.

A quiet wedding was solemnized Monday evening, at eight o'clock, at the parsonage of the Grandview Avenue Christian church, when Miss Rose R. Sherborne and Mr. Ivel L. Anderson were married by Rev. E. G. Hamilton. The only attendants were Miss Sarah Hazel McKinley, of Lowesville, a cousin of the bride, and Mr. A. Branch Gilman, of Thurmond, W. Va., a friend of the groom. For the present they will make their home with the bride's mother, Mrs. J. H. Bolinette, of Grant street.

Mrs. J. S. Pearce is chaperoning a jolly party of young people who have a cottage at Camp Riverside for ten days. They are Misses Anise and Elizabeth Minego, Imogene and Margaret Matthews, Messrs. George Pearce, Stephen Chick, Earl Clayton, David and Thomas Williams.

Mrs. J. E. Matthews and daughter, Miss Helen, of Columbus, are having a very pleasant visit with Mrs. Matthews' sister, Mrs. John D. Wente, of Fourth street.

Listen, Light Bearers and Mothers' Jewels of the Bigelow church! The picnic planned for Thursday has been called off on account of that day being Portsmouth Day at the Lucasville fair. The date of the picnic will be announced later on.

Miss Elvira Stegeman has gone to her home in Newport, Ky., after a visit with friends and relatives in Ironton and Portsmouth.

Mrs. A. H. Havatt, of Arcola, Ill., is here for a visit with her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bradford, of Sunnyside.

The West Portsmouth W. C. T. U. will meet next Thursday evening, at 7:30, with Mrs. W. H. Fowler, at her home, 545 Sixth street. The program theme will be "Statewide Prohibition and Medical Temperance." A cordial invitation is extended to all those who are interested in the temperance campaign.

Pearl Milstead, who is soon to wed Miss Margaret Dragan, has rented one of Mayor Adam Frick's flats on Eighth street, near Court. The flat was recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Frost Davis.

Harry Gillilan, Harry Williams and Ernest Kelly returned home Monday from Mineral Springs, Adams county, where they spent several days. Mr. Kelly returned to the Springs Tuesday morning for another week's visit.

Mrs. Fairfax Dickey and daughter, Jean, have returned from a week's stay at Mineral Springs, Adams county.

Mrs. Albina Tipton, of the Buena Vista Pike, and Miss Irene Wegler of this city, have returned home from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Otto McCall. Mr. McCall expects soon to engage in the mercantile business in Scioto ville.

Ralph Bart, a son of Charles Bart, traveling salesman for the Irving Drew Shoe company, is here from Cincinnati on a visit to relatives and friends.

Shoppers in the city Tuesday included Mrs. Nell Stewart, Miss M. Tipton and J. E. Conley, of Scioto ville, Miss Lucy Burke, of Franklin Furnace, Miss Claudia Mackey, of Wheelersburg, McKinley Sauer, of Wheelersburg.

After a pleasant week spent with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Walters, of Chillicothe, Miss Margaret Wertz will return home tomorrow evening, accompanied by Master Willard Walters, who will visit for a few days at the Wertz home on Fourth street.

The "Gleaners" of the German Evangelical church were entertained at the home of Mrs. W. W. Applegate last evening, in honor of Mrs. Hoyt Smith of Fourth street.

Three of the Sisters of St. Francis of St. Mary's school returned home last evening after having spent the summer attending summer school at Winona Lake.

The T. H. B. Sewing Club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Dr. Chabot at her home on Highland avenue.

Misses Elsie Diener, Marjorie Heid and brother, Cyril Heid, will leave tomorrow for an extended visit to friends in Stockdale, Ohio.

Mr. Henry T. Bannon and family, who left here last week on a trip to Canada, made a change in their plans and went to Manomet, Mass., for an outing with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bannon and family, who have been spending the summer at their cottage.

Mr. Raymond Billian, an employee at the N. & W. shops, left today on a vacation trip to Norfolk, Va., and other points of interest in the East.

After a delightful visit with Miss Marjorie Mackey, of Wheelersburg, Miss Marie Messer has returned to her home in Wayne, W. Va.

Master Elmore Ortseifer drove Miss Martha McGinick and her sister, Miss Jean Kelly, to Piketon, Sunday, in the Ortseifer car. On their return home in the evening they took supper at the Thomas House in Lucasville.

Miss Mary Williams will entertain the Merry Twelve Club Thursday evening at her home on Seventeenth street.

After a week's visit with relatives in Van Wert, Mrs. E. J. Morgan and two children, of Glover street, returned home yesterday.

Going To Shelbyville

The Sheesley Greater Shows which are giving a carnival for the Owls will next fill a week's engagement at Shelbyville, Ky.

Brady Theatre

PIANO CONTEST

Has started off with a whirl. With every 5 cent admission ticket the holder is entitled to 100 votes.

With every 10 cent admission ticket the holder is entitled to 200 votes.

Purchase a family book of tickets, $1.00, and it is good for 4000 votes.

The following shows the standing of the various candidates at the close of Monday, August 17:

Gladys Edwards	74,500	Zelia Sanders	1,200
Eva Campbell	20,200	Mary Chrichor	1,200
Nora Scaggs	20,000	Pearl Wilson	1,200
Francis Valliard	18,000	Florence Mourey	1,000
Ida Moreland	18,000	Susan Sprouse	1,000
Mexie Compton	12,500	Saphia Whitley	1,000
Anne Sanders	9,500	Ruth Mackey	1,000
Anna Urbane	7,800	Mrs. Crouch	1,000
Hilda Bayer	4,800	Myrtle Adkins	1,000
Emma Hurdin	2,700	Rosa Wells	1,000
Myrtle Williams	2,600	Florence Scaffe	1,000
Grace Snodgrass	2,100	Mable Kraut	1,000
Marie McLaughlin	2,000	Avanell White	1,000
Samantha Mingus	2,000	Mrs. Bell	1,000
Mrs. J. C. Stewart	1,800	Ruth Mooney	1,000
Goldie Murphy	1,800	Ollie Wanless	1,000
Bell Lewis	1,700	Georgie Jacobs	1,000
Analue Fishburn	1,400	Mable Kigley	1,000
Ruth Royse	1,400	Tilla McCormick	1,000
		Belle Caston	1,000
		Maud Kratzer	1,000

The Brady Theatre

Home of High Class Motion Picture Features
LAWSON STREET

"The Million Dollar Mystery" At The EXHIBIT Tonight

STATE CONVENTION OF JR. O. U. A. M. TO BEGIN IN CITY NEXT TUESDAY

One week from Tuesday morning, the Forty-Second Annual State Session of the Jr. O. U. A. M. convenes in the auditorium of the First Christian church of this city. Delegates and visitors will begin arriving next Monday for the session, and by Tuesday evening it is conservatively estimated that fully 1500 visitors will be in the city. Ironton sent word Sunday that a special train carrying 150 members will be down Tuesday evening, while special trains from Cincinnati and Columbus and intermediate points will be run Monday. Were it not for the low stage of the Ohio river, hundreds of members from Eastern and South-eastern Ohio would have come to the session in chartered steamers.

All of the high dignitaries of the order will be in attendance at the convention, which promises to be the most notable one in the history of the lodge. The greater part of the sessions will be of the secret order, although a few open meetings will be held during the week.

On Tuesday evening the big street parade of local and visiting members will be held over the principal streets of the city. It is estimated that about 2000 marchers will be in line, as scores of members from the Councils of adjoining cities and town will come especially for the parade.

All sessions will be presided over by E. B. Gaedlin, of Toronto, D. State Councillor, while the full complement of the state officers will be on hand. The regimental officers of the uniformed rank will stop here during the state session on their way to the state encampment which will be held at Manchester the week following.

Reception to visiting guests on Wednesday evening will be one of the features of the week, a big affair having been arranged for that evening at Ben Hur hall under the auspices of the Daughters of America. The managers of the Columbia, Lexie and Arcana motion picture theatres have thrown open the doors of their theatres to the guests during the week, while other forms of entertainment have been arranged for.

HON. JOHN J. WEITZER

One of the distinguished visitors in Portsmouth during the State Session of the Jr. O. U. A. M. next week will be Hon. J. J. Weitzer, of Cincinnati, a member of the civil service commission of that city, and a lawyer of prominence. Mr. Weitzer is Past National Councillor of the order, the highest office in the lodge.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

The county commissioners Monday afternoon awarded a contract to Smith & Dunn for 5,000 bushels of sand for the county infirmary at $1.95 on the B. & O. S. W. switches and to the Interstate Transfer Company for 4000 bushels at $2 per ton delivered to the court house sheds.

No weather is too not for good painting when done by Brehmer, The Painter. adv 6tf

FILING BLANKS

Candidates at the recent primary election are now filing their nomination blanks with Clerk James Dixon, of the county board of election.

Pay Homage To Mother's Friend

[illegible] not surprised to observe the number of men who are fast falling to pay homage to "Mother's Friend," remarked a leading druggist.

"The expectant mother if she has heard of this wonderful embrocation is finding her relief during the period of childbirth, and is thus saved from many days of suffering. Mothers [illegible] recommend it highly every day for liniment purposes.

"It is a [illegible] to observe the number of men who are followers of Darwin's theory of survival of the fittest, who are [illegible] to which [illegible] of medicine are [illegible] and [illegible] does not [illegible] to stretch with the [illegible] of certain condition has [illegible] the period of expectation. And particularly is a young mother in this condition [illegible] unbearable when she is [illegible] the murder fiend but plead it [illegible] they [illegible] the [illegible] of the cupboards when the [illegible] which [illegible] people [illegible] to be [illegible].

"Mother's Friend" is sold by druggists [illegible] or a bottle of [illegible]. Write Bradfield Regulator Co., 408 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., and we will send you a valuable BOOK [illegible] to expectant mothers.

Moose Getting Ready For Korn Karnival

The Loyal Order of Moose, at Weirton, [illegible] of the each its regular meeting tonight, will point. [illegible] complete arrangements for their [illegible] part in the Korn Karnival. The [illegible] Moose are going to set the pace for the Korn Karnival [illegible] and the other Fraternities this year. [illegible] They will also open their elegant pictures of [illegible] on Sept. 14 for a period of 30 days, [illegible] with National Organizer E. [illegible].

Architects Have Formed New Firm

Mr. Venus W. Ritter, a well known and successful architect practicing in the city of Huntington, W. Va., has associated with Mr. Richard M. Bates, Jr., New York City, to form an architectural firm in this city.

Mr. Ritter has proven [illegible] ability in the profession of architecture by the number of [illegible] and well designed buildings [illegible] has constructed throughout [illegible] Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Ohio and Pennsylvania. Among the most important buildings [illegible] his creation are [illegible] fire proof [illegible] National Bank at Huntington, West Virginia, the [illegible] of Commerce building [illegible] Hotel Machen [illegible] Shawkey Building, Second Street, [illegible] Fair, Mr. Carnes [illegible] Carnes Park addition, [illegible] Church, and [illegible] Charles [illegible] Parlors, [illegible] Hall [illegible] City Hospital at Huntington, [illegible] Bates [illegible] Hotel Edwards [illegible] just now working on the plans for a [illegible] building [illegible] Parkersburg, [illegible] Fairmont, [illegible] of Fairmont State Normal School, Edward des Beaux Arts [illegible] Italy. He has [illegible] years been with [illegible] Fairmont and [illegible] New York City. [illegible] just completed [illegible] starting and [illegible] various large dwellings, [illegible]

RECEPTION A SUCCESS

A large crowd attended the reception held by Scioto and Portsmouth lodges of Odd Fellows and Manila lodge, Daughters of Rebecca Monday night in honor of George W. Wymer and wife.

Mr. Wymer, who is one of Portsmouth's oldest Odd Fellows, and his spouse will cheer the national home of the order at Springfield, Ohio.

Mr. Wymer will retire in a few days from the grocery business in which he has been engaged for many years. Previous to becoming a grocer he operated a bakery in the present Knittel stand on Second street.

BALL SCOUT IN THE CITY

Ed Staiger, of Marion, a scout for the Cleveland and St. Louis American League clubs, is a visitor in Portsmouth for a few days. He was an interested spectator at the Portsmouth-Lexington game at Millbrook Monday afternoon. Mr. Staiger was formerly secretary of the Marion ball club when that city was represented in the Ohio State League. He is a son of Christian Staiger, of the Wolff Clothing company, and has numerous other relatives in this city.

MISS LOWE IN CHARGE

Miss Helen Lowe, the new superintendent of Hempstead hospital, assumed charge of the institution Tuesday morning, succeeding Miss Maude Eagar, resigned. Miss Lowe was formerly a nurse at Mt. Carmel hospital, Columbus. The new assistant superintendent, Miss Bess Harper, is also from Mt. Carmel hospital. She will arrive in about a week to take her new position.

Hobo Is Killed

The body of an unknown colored hobo was discovered Monday morning by Walter Clark, one of the N. & W. yard crew of Coal Grove. The body was in a gondola filled with steel and was horribly crushed.

The man evidently a hobo, had been sitting in the car beating his way when the train suddenly stopped and the steel shifted, crushing him between the end of the car and the load of steel, which weighed several tons.

CRANKED AUTO, BROKE AN ARM

Alex Jordan, proprietor of the Washington novel, fractured his right arm in cranking his auto Saturday.

TOMMY MURPHY AT ZIEGLER'S

[illegible] Murphy, one of Portsmouth's most popular [illegible] has taken a position at Ziegler's [illegible] and Second streets.

Bought A Fine Surrey

[illegible]

Sugar Was Cheap

[illegible]

SEVEN MILES MORE OF PAVING TO BE ADDED TO SCIOTO COUNTY'S CREDIT

Authority to make the preliminary survey for seven additional miles of road paving in Scioto county was given to District State Highway Engineer Harold Wendelken by the board of county commissioners Monday afternoon.

Engineer Wendelken received word this morning from the State Highway Department that the preliminary survey for the seven additional miles had been approved. This indicates that the state will come half-way in the matter of cost, and as the county commissioners have already expressed themselves in favor of the improvement, it is practically assured. An effort will be made to have the survey completed and the estimates figured in time so that the work can be undertaken next spring and completed before the fall. The aggregate amount of road improvement to be started in [illegible] next year will be twenty-three miles.

The additional paving favored by the commissioners includes three miles on Gallia pike beginning at the Scioto ville bridge and extending east through Wheelersburg; two miles at the intersection of the Gallia pike and the South Webster road towards South Webster; and two miles on the West Side, beginning at Union Mills and extending west. The towpath road will not be in condition to pave next year.

The survey is now going on for the paving of Munns Run from the north corporation line of New Boston two miles east toward Harrisonville, while the survey for the fourteen miles of paving on the Chillicothe pike to the Pike county line has been completed. Contracts for the work will be let during the coming fall and winter, a portion in October and the balance in January.

DR. G. A. SULZER

In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 28 East Second Street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

ENGINEMEN WILL MEET

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, No. 501, and the Ladies' Auxiliary will have a joint meeting Tuesday, Aug. 25, at 7:30 o'clock. All members of the order are invited to be present and bring their wives, whether a member of the auxiliary or not. A large attendance is desired.

Mosquitoes Breed Disease. Skeeter Dope will drive the mosquitoes away. Sold by Flood & Blake. 18-3t

BAGGAN MAY WINTER HERE

John Baggan, the hustling left fielder for the Portsmouth club, has confided to friends that he has secured a position in Portsmouth this winter, and that he will probably accept. For the past few years, Baggan has been manager of the pool room at the Plaza Hotel, Fort Ohio, during the winter months.

Vitralite, the Long Life Enamel, used on all white work by Brehmer, The Painter. adv 6tf

Huge Crowd At Street Carnival

One of the largest crowds that ever attended a street carnival in Portsmouth was gathered in the lower mill lot Monday evening to witness the opening night of the Sheesley Greater Shows performances, given under the auspices of the local Nest of Owls. The crowd was rewarded by being treated to a clean performance on the whole, not an act being on the grounds that smacks in the least of suggestiveness nor impropriety.

The Owls were immensely gratified over the character of the carnival company and also with the large crowd, and they confidently predict a record breaking week's business unless the weather man takes it into his head to interfere. The popularity contests are being fought with much fervor by the contestants, and considerable interest has been awakened in the voting, the results of which are announced daily.

The carnival band gave a concert on the government square early Monday evening, and this will be repeated each day that the company is in the city. People can be assured that they can visit the carnival grounds and come away clean, as the grounds are thoroughly sprinkled every evening before the show starts.

WHADDAYA MEAN CELLAR?

"Button" Scott's latest deals with the Cincinnati Reds:—The veteran elevator man at the First National Bank building says it was real mean in Garry Hermann to refuse Herzog's men ice water Sunday, he telling them that water in the "cellar" was cool enough for them.

TRAINS HAD TO DETOUR

Passengers on the N. & W. excursion Sunday report that N. & W. trains were not the only ones detoured over the C. & O. line Sunday evening. They say that there was a big wreck on the L. & N. between Cincinnati and Lexington some time Sunday, and that all L. & N. trains used the C. & O. to Ashland, and the Lexington division of the same road to reach Lexington.

Hospital News

Miss Mildred Williams, of Eighth street, was dismissed as a patient at Hempstead hospital Monday. Miss Julia Duffel, of Lyra, O., entered the hospital as a pupil nurse Monday.

TANGO DANCE CLOSES FAIR

Russell Frizzell, a clerk at the New Idea Clothing store, has returned from Vanceburg, Ky., where he attended the county fair. He reports the fair having closed with a swell tango dance, which among others was attended by 38 society people from the great dancing city of Huntington.

AWAY WITH CATARRH A FILTHY DISEASE

Instantly Relieves Swollen, Inflamed Nose, Head, Throat—You Breathe Freely—Dull Headache Goes—Nasty Discharge Stops.

Try "Ely's Cream Balm."

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it. Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning, the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now. Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucus dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your pride just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, September 17, 1914, at the office of the Auditor of Scioto County, and the same will be publicly opened and the contract awarded at one o'clock p. m. on the same date, at the office of the Board of County Commissioners for furnishing all the labor and material necessary in the following work:

Construction of the Hoolbaker Road in Brush Creek Township, a distance of 3815 feet.

All work to be done in accordance with the approved plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Auditor.

Each and every bid must be accompanied with Cash, Bond or Certified check, payable to the County Auditor, in the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) as evidence of good faith on the part of the bidder that shall be awarded the contract; that he will enter into same within five (5) days after the same shall have been awarded him, and give necessary approved bond for the faithful performance of his contract.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Scioto County, this 4th day of August, 1914.

T. C. PATTERSON,
County Auditor and Clerk of Board.
aug18, 25&sept1, 8, 15

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the New Boston Village School District, Scioto County, Ohio, until 12:00 o'clock, Noon, Friday, August 28th, 1914, for a DEPOSITORY, for the funds of said Board of Education, all proposals to be made in accordance with the Statutes of Ohio, providing for such depository.

All proposals must be sealed and addressed to Roy H. Coburn, Clerk, Board of Education, Village of New Boston, Ohio, and endorsed "Proposal for Depository for New Boston Village School Funds."

By order of the Board,
ROY H. COBURN, Clerk.
adv July 28-4 Tues

LEGAL NOTICE

Russell Lozier, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that Lucinda Lozier, wife of the said Russell Lozier, on or about the 13th day of March, A. D. 1914, filed in the court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, her certain petition against the said Russell Lozier, praying for a divorce from the said Russell Lozier, on the grounds of Gross Neglect of Duty, Extreme Cruelty and Habitual Drunkenness.

That said cause will be for hearing in said court on and after six weeks and one day after the first publication hereof, to-wit: on and after the 3rd day of Sept. A. D. 1914.

LUCINDA LOZIER
Thos. K. Funk, Attorney.
21-6 Tues

A String of Pearls

That are closely matched in size and color cost from $50 to $500, according to size and quality. We can furnish them at almost any price you care to pay.

We carry in stock a large variety of the latest

Indestructable Roman Pearls

These Pearls are made of a hard substance that will not break and are as near like real pearls as are made. They cost from $3.50 to $4.00 each.

Other Pearl strings from $1.75 to $250. Call in and let us show you these pretty Pearls.

Otto Zuellner & Bro.
Jewelers and Opticians
415 Chillicothe St.
Portsmouth, O.

Sensible Shoes For Sensible People

In this day and age of the world, people pay particular attention to their feet, which they want to encase in shoes that give comfort and which give the full money's worth. That is the kind that Weber sells—he will have no other in his splendid assortment, for he does not want to displease a single, solitary customer. By some way or other he might get hold of that one bad pair and to guard against this he sees to it that every pair of shoes that enters his store must have the reputation for style, quality, comfort and wear. You never go wrong when you purchase your footwear of Weber, who guarantees you your money's worth at all times.

Drop in and be fitted with the prevailing styles and colors and some excellent values.

Chas. Weber
503 CHILLICOTHE STREET

The Best Remedy For All Ages

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Quite a furore was caused at the Pike P. O., Pike county, Christian church last Saturday evening, when Newt Barrett, a young man of that vicinity, while crazed with liquor and uttering one oath after another attempted to ride his horse into the church while religious services were going on. When his friends were unable to restrain him, the pastor, Rev. J. O. Lawwill, who was in the midst of his sermon, called upon the officer, Constable James Patterson, of Newton township, who was in the church, to arrest him.

Patterson was no match for his more swarthy foe, and was soon overpowered by the drink-crazed young man, who kicked him a fearful blow on the jaw, knocking him down. Instantly, a dozen men rushed to Patterson's aid, and after a fierce skirmish, succeeded in subduing Barrett.

After getting him under their control, the posse tied him securely to a nearby tree, while one of the congregated notified Sheriff Andy Givens by telephone. The sheriff was upon the scene within a couple of hours, and took the young man in charge, later landing him safely in the county jail at Waverly.

Barrett was arraigned before Justice Philip Gableman at Waverly Monday afternoon, before whom he pleaded guilty to a charge of resisting an officer. He was fined $10 and costs and sentenced to thirty days in the Cincinnati workhouse. The workhouse sentence was later suspended, however, upon the pleas of the majority of the congregation who were present at the preliminary hearing. Had it not been for the sympathy expressed for the young man by the people whom he had so grossly mistreated, Barrett would have been arraigned upon a more serious charge, and would have been dealt with more severely.

He was extremely penitent in Justice Gableman's court, and repeatedly expressed regret over his conduct. He told the court that he had loaded up Saturday evening on blackberry wine and alcohol, of his own mixture, and temporarily lost his reason, having no knowledge of what he was doing. His penitent attitude also moved the court to exercise lenience in his case.

Barrett is a native of War Eagle, W. Va., and has evidently been given to fighting in that feud-stricken neighborhood, for he carries over sixty shot in his body which he brought with him from West Virginia. He only recently came to Pike county, but his parents have been living in that neighborhood for the past two years.

VAN GORDER TO PREACH

John Van Gorder will occupy the pulpit at the Kendall Avenue Baptist church Sunday evening. The morning services at the church have been discontinued until the arrival of the new pastor. Mr. Van Gorder will have charge of all the services until the new pastor, Rev. W. Melton, of Madison, Ind., takes up the pastorate the first of September. Rev. Melton has been at the head of the Madison, Ind., Baptist church for several years.

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Residents along Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, between Chillicothe and Gay streets, are complaining of the smell that arises from the Chillicothe street garbage dump. The smell at times is almost unbearable.

Axle Nut To Start

Proctor Willis former traveling salesman for the Tracy Shoe company, has brought his race horse, Axle Nut, from Piketon to Lucasville and will start him there this week. He only recently refused $1,000 for the horse.

How French People Cure Stomach Trouble

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this country by George H. Mayr, who for twenty years has been one of the leading downtown druggists of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. So quick and effective is its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time. It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and can now be had at almost any drug store. It is now sold here by all druggists.

LEAGUE GETS ROOMS

The Scioto County Home Defenders' League, the name of the organization recently formed to conduct the campaign in Scioto county for statewide prohibition, has rented a suite of office rooms in the fourth floor of the Masonic Temple, from which quarters the campaign will be directed. Some one will be put in charge of the office at an early date.

Mr. Leist In City

Representative George Leist, of Beaver, Pike county, who was renominated at the primary election last Tuesday in spite of determined opposition on the part of his political enemies, was a business visitor in Portsmouth Monday evening and was the recipient of congratulations from his many friends in this city, over his renomination. Mr. Leist was well pleased with the showing he made and confidently expects to be returned to the state legislature by the voters of Pike county.

He was accompanied to this city by J. H. Nutt, formerly of Beaver, but now on the road for the Peters Arms and Sporting Goods Company. Mr. Nutt, who is a brother of Eric Nutt, the East Gallia street grocer, is a crack shot, and is entered at many of the largest tournaments in the country.

MOVED BY MR. BALL

It was C. Ball, house-mover and brick-layer, who moved the small cottage from Fifth street to the rear of the John W. Sneder lot on Front street Saturday, and not Marsh Bros., as was previously stated. A new kind of steel track used by Mr. Ball enables him to move the houses in rapid fire time.

BACK FROM EUROPE

Miss Delia Reynolds, head waitress at the Washington Hotel, who has been spending the summer in Ireland and Scotland, arrived back safely with a ship load of other American tourists on board a White Star Line steamship a few days ago. Miss Reynolds, who is at present visiting relatives in Salem, Ind., is expected to resume her duties at the Washington Hotel next week.

Back On Their Runs

John A. Payne and John Dunn, N. & W. engineers, who have been enjoying an extended vacation through West Virginia and Virginia, have returned home, and have resumed their regular runs on the N. & W.

Stomach Troubles In Hot Weather

"The stomach," says a great specialist, "suffers more than any other part of the body in summer weather, due to the effect of the heat and in the eating of food that is not quite fresh. At this time of the year especial danger lies in soups, sausages, cold ham, left over dishes, and fish." "Of course," continued the doctor, "if quite sound, these are nourishing, but if one has the slightest suspicion of their being tainted he is wise to avoid them."

That these conditions play a big part in the cause of stomach and bowel disorders, has long been the contention of the Bi Chemic Doctors, those medical experts who have their Portsmouth Institute located on the third floor of the Masonic Temple Building. These doctors who have made chronic diseases their life time study, have been most successful in the treatment of chronic stomach and bowel diseases that baffle the skill of the ordinary doctor. Among others, nervous people suffer greatly from stomach and bowel disorders. Appetite vanishes and gives way to dull, dread uneasiness, and what they do eat doesn't digest properly. Then comes belching, heart burn, sour rising, and a whole train of distressing symptoms.

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THE MAN BE HIND THE GUNS

This is a recent photograph of Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg, the man behind the guns. Next to the emperor he is the most powerful man in Germany, perhaps in Europe. It is generally believed that the Germans not only knew Austria was to declare war on Servia, but consented to the plan. Thus Bethmann-Hollweg may have managed the whole situation.

He hasn't the power of Bismarck, who filled the same position at the time of the Franco-Prussian war, but this war may show he has the ability. Just now Emperor Wilhelm shines as the strongest man in Germany. Bismarck had an emperor less able and forceful—the grandfather of the kaiser—to cope with.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE TO MEET ON SATURDAY

Notices have been sent out to the members of the newly elected Republican county central committee to meet at Seel's Parlors on Second street next Saturday afternoon at 12:45 o'clock for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization. A chairman and a secretary will be chosen, while other matters in connection with the carrying on of the coming fall campaign will be considered.

The new law makes it mandatory that the central committee organize within fifteen days after the primary election, and also makes attendance on the part of the members obligatory. The central committee also names the executive committee, which has active management of the campaign and it is most likely that the members of this committee will be named at Saturday's meeting.

PEACH CONTEST IS OPENED

Leo Sommer, of the hardware firm of Sommer Bros., is displaying two peaches that measure eight inches in circumference and weigh a pound. They were grown in the back yard of his home on New Fifth street.

WHEELERSBURG GETS NEW SUPERINTENDENT

At a recent meeting of the Wheelersburg board of education, Prof. James R. Turner, member of the Mansfield, O., high school faculty, was chosen as superintendent of the Wheelersburg schools to succeed Prof. E. O. McCowen, who resigned to accept the position of county superintendent. Prof. Turner is a graduate of the University of Illinois, and has had six years' experience as an instructor, including high school and graded work. His salary was fixed at $1100 per year.

As Wheelersburg has been set off as a special supervision district by the Scioto County Board of Education, Prof. Turner becomes one of the division superintendents of the county, by virtue of his office. During the present summer he is taking special work at the Ohio State University summer school.

Superintendent Of District 2 Named

County Superintendent E. O. McCowen, late Monday afternoon announced the appointment of Prof. Paul E. Cromer, principal of the Bellevue, Ohio, schools, as superintendent of District No. 2 in Scioto county, set off in accordance with the provisions of the new school law, and including the following school districts in the north-eastern part of the county: Jefferson, Madison, Harrison, and Bloom townships, and Harrisonville and South Webster. His salary was fixed at $1500 per year.

Before making any announcement relative to the appointment Supt. McCowen got in touch with the presidents of the six boards of education in the district. After a thorough discussion, Prof. Cromer placed in nomination by the county superintendent, was unanimously chosen by the six presidents in the district. There were several applicants for the place, but only Prof. Cromer was voted upon.

Prof. Cromer is a graduate of the Ohio University at Athens, and holds two degrees from that institution of learning, A. B. and B. of Ped. He has had a wide experience in school work, having taught in rural, graded and high schools, and is in every way qualified for the position.

He is the third district superintendent to have been chosen, Prof. R. K. Day having been chosen as superintendent of District No. 1, and Prof. Clarke Fulton as superintendent of District No. 3. The superintendents of the special supervision districts are also expected with the superintendents of the four districts into which the county has been divided. A superintendent for District No. 4 will be named within the next two days.

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Silk Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide, Green, Apricot, Navy, Copen, Light Blue, Pink, Brown and Black at per yard $1.65
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TEDROW TOO MUCH FOR THE LEXINGTON COLTS

Locals Victorious In Scrappy Game Before Big Crowd

(By F. W. Sheridan.)

Mr. Jim Black, who stands 16 hands high, corn fed in winter, who earns his daily bread by toiling on the mound for the Lexington Colts, received his at the hands of the Climbing Children at Millbrook Park, Monday afternoon, before a cultured audience of fan folk, by the ratio of 5 to 4. The locals breaking up a pitchers' duel between him and Mr. Tedrow in the seventh inning when they jumped onto his offerings, spanked out five large, lucious raps, good for four runs and the game, adding an unnecessary clinker in the following frame just to prove to the populace that they really did not use up all their ammunition in the lucky seventh. Some of the hits made in that large frame reminded one of the discharge from a Krupp field piece, especially the double barrel shot was fired by "Skip" Crouch that sent Tedrow across the dish for the first run. That blow was followed by some more that spelled disaster in large and glowing letters for Jimmy, dear boy, who towers above the earth with the same altitude as Mt. Pisgah on a foggy morning.

The game yesterday was one of the prettiest and most exciting of the present series. The locals were out to win, because the boys had a hunch that the Babes would decide attend to the Senators all of which came to pass and at the time of the present writing the home bucks are just one and one-half game behind Boers' falling stars and going like the very old devil and then some.

Manager Guyn and his Indian band of marauders were desperate yesterday. The results of their tie-ups with the locals have not served to satisfy the folks back home and they started out to win yesterday's game or die in the attempt. However, the Childs wrecking crew got in their work at a very opportune time and clubbed home a hard-earned victory for a most righteous cause. The visitors had been first to break the ice, garnering one in the seventh as the result of a squeeze play, beautifully and artistically pulled by the aforesaid mentioned Guyn, who had large thoughts at that time that one run would win the old ball game. And so it did look, for Black was going great guns, allowing a few hits now and then and being given all roles support at other times. However, when the Colts got that one base run, it only served to make the locals more desperate and with a whoop and a hurrah they went at Black like so many maniacs bees and soon sailed the game away with the Indian outfitter and their war tickerles.

The game was as full of snap as a turtle and Umpire Arundel was compelled to use drastic measures in putting a quietus on the visitors fiance Mike Konnick off the field of play and putting a gag in the well-rounded mouth of our friend, Lefty Hartwig, who after repeated warnings continued to hurl some sarcastic tipped flings in the direction of the umpire. Lefty was told that if he did shut up he would have to put up, and as the putting up process would cost the Wolverine a big ten-spot, Lefty retired to the seclusion of the bench, and like the shut in groundhog, sucked his paw for the rest of the pastimes. The Colts took vicious objections to one or two decisions that were made by the judge of play, but the latter held the whip hand and he finally curried the frisky Colts until they were glad to remain in subjection for the rest of the fray.

For six rapid-fire innings the game went along even Stephen and was simply a duel between Black and Tedrow, with the latter holding the edge. Black was comparatively easy in the early rounds until a local man would get on, and it was then that he would tighten up like a clam and become as stingy with base hits as a miser with his gold. A good peg on the part of Mr. Shafer in left, which nipped Emery at the plate, saved Black in the second inning, and a wonderful one-hand catch by Jack Kendall in right off the bat of Johnny Bragan pulled the endiron Black out of a tight hole.

In the seventh, however, Shafer led off with a safe blow and in an effort to catch him napping off first, Francisco and Edwards got their wires crossed and Nick's perfect check went onto right field, Shafer taking second. It was an easy matter for White to sacrifice him to third and as said a little up in this story, Manager Guyn dumped the thought that the game would be won should he but get Mr. Shafer home. His squeeze play did the trick. Then Mr. McEvoy Gowed.

However, that one run was all that was needed to stir the Childs gang into action. After Francisco had been disposed of, Tedrow electrified the audience with a fine single to middle. Bragan clumped a hard one that White could not hold. Taking first. Then Crouch drove several more prans through the honest heart of Manager Guyn by bounding a double off the right field boards. Tedrow scampering home with the tying run. Conwell's hard rap was fielded to Blackwell in time to catch Bragan, but Hickey came forth with a bounie drive to middle that scored Crouch and Conwell, the latter having stolen second in the meantime. Edwards followed with a double over third, resulting Hickey, and the Fan knothead once. Emery who had three blows to his credit then rolled to short.

In the eighth the locals added one more, Goostree, who had fanned twice, caught hold of one and slapped it against the left field enclosure. Francisco was hit by a pitched ball, Goostree stole third when Mr. Blackwell attempted to get him at second. He and Francisco then negotiated the double steal successfully. Tedrow, however, failed to the box, Bragan popped to second and Crouch rolled to the same station. Still going up. The score:

Portsmouth	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bragan, lf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Crouch, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Conwell, 2b	4	1	1	3	3	0
Hickey, m	4	1	1	1	0	0
Edwards, 1b	4	0	2	10	0	0
Emery, ss	4	0	1	2	0	0
Francisco, 3b	3	0	1	5	3	1
Goostree, 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Tedrow, p	4	1	1	1	0	1
Total	36	5	14	27	11	1

Lexington	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kendall, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Gill, m	4	0	2	0	0	0
Shafer, lf	3	1	1	0	1	0
White, 3b	4	0	0	1	5	1
Guyn, 2b	2	0	0	2	2	0
McEvoy, 1b	2	0	1	11	0	0
Blackwell, c	3	0	0	1	2	1
Konnick, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
McClellan, ss	4	0	0	2	1	0
Black, p	3	0	0	0	5	0
Total	29	1	4	21	16	2

By innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Portsmouth	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	x	3
Lexington	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

Twobase Hits—Crouch, Edwards, Goostree. Sacrifice Hits—Crouch, White, Guyn. Stolen Bases—Conwell, Hickey, Goostree 2, Francisco, Shafer. First Base on Balls—Off Tedrow 3. Hit by Pitcher—Francisco. Struck Out—By Tedrow 1; by Black 2. Double Plays—Conwell to Edwards. Time 1:55. Umpire—Arundel.

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SLY PETE GETS HOTEL TOWELS

Manager Childs has been the official sleuth of the towel brigade for the past several days and the best exponent of the Bums' Detective Association has nothing on Sir Peter. It seems that on their last trip to the Ancient Metrop., the Children appropriated several towels belonging to the Warner House. Now, it is no crime [illegible] that [illegible] is one of their original perquisites, but they went a little too heavy on the last trip, and on Monday, President Goldeman received a letter from the Warner House people to the effect that seven towels had been charged against the local club at 35 cents a throw. The letter was a very kind one, no process-bons being hinted at. So Manager Childs started an investigation. The first player to enter the club yesterday was carefully watched, and went into garments and reaching down in his suit case, he brought forth a towel, on the corner of which was stamped "Warner House." "Why, where in Da Sam Hill did you get my towel," inquired Pete of the player. "Why, that's mine what's ridin' yer," replied the player. "Not by a dern sight!" said Pete who immediately appropriated the towel. Then the player was let in on the secret and around Lake Erie towels were the linen. The first seven men to enter brought forth Warner House towels and they were confiscated by Pete, who ere this has parcel posted them to dear old Chilly. It might be that he waited a little longer he could have recovered fifteen, for half players believe they have the divine right to appropriate towels from every hostelry at which they register. No names are mentioned, outside of Pete who played the part of detective to perfection.

Black Oak Defeated Garrison

Garrison, Ky., Aug. 18.—The Black Oak team easily defeated the Garrison representation by the score of 8 to 4, Sunday. Very few fine diamond features were evidenced. The box score follows:

Garrison	AB.	H.	R.	O.	A.	E.
L. Lawler, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
R. Lewis, 2b	4	1	0	4	3	2
J. Dyer, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
O. Lewis, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	0
W. Richards, 3b	4	1	0	14	2	1
J. Hawthorne, ss	4	1	0	0	1	0
D. Shanklin, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
O. Collins, lf	3	0	0	0	0	1
S. Shanklin, c	4	1	1	6	0	0
Totals	32	4	1	27	11	4

Black Oak	AB.	H.	R.	O.	A.	E.
Chilly, lf	5	1	0	7	0	2
Tinsley, c	5	3	2	13	3	0
O. Parnell, ss	5	1	1	1	1	0
Fowler, 2b	5	1	1	2	2	1
R. McCoy, 2b	5	1	0	3	2	1
T. Parnell, cf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Barnes, 1b	4	1	1	7	0	0
H. Lewis, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Kennard, p	5	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	42	10	8	27	11	5

Two-base Hit—Tinsley, Lilbell, Stokes 1, [illegible] 2; Lewis 2; Tinsley 2; O. Parnell. Double Plays—Lewis to Lewis. Base on Balls—Off Kennard 0; off Shanklin 1. Hit by Pitched Balls—by Shanklin, Burris; by Kennard Lynch, Myers. Left on Bases—Garrison 5; Black Oak 8. Overthrows—Richard, Kennard, Lawton. Struck Out—By Kennard 13; by Shanklin 12. Time—1:40. Umpires—Bagby and Arthurs.

Billy Made Star Catch

Columbus, O., Aug. 18.—Billy Southworth made the heavy holding play of the day in the first inning of the second game. With two runners on and two out Miller hit a ball high against the right field fence. Billy jumped up and picked the ball off the boards.

After September 1st I will do strictly cash business. All goods sold at the lowest price. L. C. Cook, 901 Chillicothe St. 18-3t

Locals Win

Trenton, O., Aug. 18.—The school Cheshes were forced to lower their colors to the team from the River City, Sunday afternoon at Rockwood Park. The score of the game was 4 to 3. Up until the fifth innings the Trenton team took and took but in that inning errors let in two runs for the Portsmouth boys and they had the game sewed up from six to nothing.

Several times the Cheshes had chances to win the game but the necessary hits was not forthcoming. Several times with men on the bases the batter drove a hot one right into the hands of the fielder and a quick double resulted. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Portsmouth	4	6	1
Cheshes	3	3	4

Batteries: Cook and Gillmore; Dunham and Hubert.

Back From Panama

G. H. Barger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Barger, of 1039 Grandview avenue, who has been employed for the past year as government stenographer in Panama, is home for an extended visit with his parents. He has been assigned to service in the quarter-master's department at Ancon for the past twelve months.

Will Give Entertainment

A band of children known as the Tribe of Benjamin will render an excellent program Friday night of this week at the Pleasant Green Baptist church at 8 p. m. Admission free. Refreshments will be served on the church lawn at the close of the program.

Attending Convention

Rev. W. P. Chapman, of the Pleasant Green Baptist church, left Tuesday morning for Athens, O., where he will remain for three days attending a Baptist convention that is being held in that city.

Steel Rails From India

Have, UNDER THE NEW TARIFF, been sold on our Pacific Coast, in competition with American mills.

Steel workers, in India, get from SEVEN to NINE CENTS per day.

This is but one of the thousand facts which should be presented to the thinking people of Scioto county through the medium of a Republican newspaper.

The Portsmouth Morning Star

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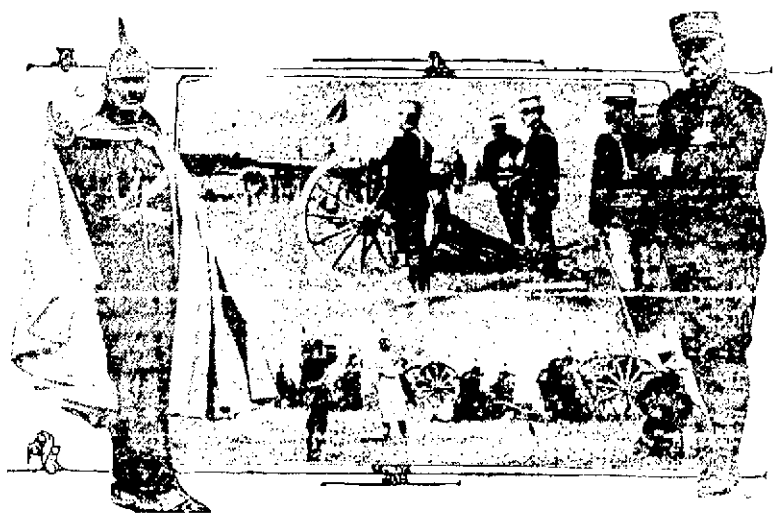
THE STAR WILL SHINE IN SEPTEMBER.

KAISER'S TROOPS MEET FRENCH UNDER JOFFRE IN SHOCK OF BATTLE



(Above) French artillery in action (below) German artillery on firing line. Emperor William of Germany now leading his troops (at left) and General Joffre, head of the French forces.

The first reported victory gained by the German troops was scored when an overwhelming force charged down on the French invaders in Alsace and compelled them to fall back. The announcement of the German victory comes from the French war office at Paris and is believed to be authentic. German war chiefs say the retreat of the Kaiser's forces in Alsace was in line with a plan to draw the French forces on into German soil and then fall upon them and crush them. The caution of General Joffre, at the head of the invading French army, prevented the working out of the German plans, however.

NEW BOSTON'S COUNCIL TAKES UP SIDEWALKS AND THE BOND PROBLEMS

The passing of one ordinance, the fixing of a sidewalk grade line on the south side of Gallia pike east of Park avenue and other small business matters of more or less importance constituted the work of the New Boston council at the second meeting of the month Monday evening. Member W. T. Harr was able to be present for the first time in many weeks. He has been ill for nearly twenty weeks. Member J. C. Harris came straggling in when Solicitor W. Meyer was making his report.

Bills amounting to $225 were read and allowed and placed on file.

An ordinance prohibiting the burial of human bodies within the corporation lines was passed without further argument. A heavy fine will be imposed upon all who violate the said ordinance. Prior to the passing of the ordinance two bodies, those of infant children, were buried within the village limits.

The solicitor reported that the Alan Jordan case against the village had been set for trial on September 11. He asked the help of council in the matter. All members might be called as witnesses. The whole case from beginning to end was gone over again.

Meyer also reported the budget commission in session and that he would try his best to see that the village received a larger budget than heretofore. Council will know at the next meeting just how they stand in the matter of being able to go ahead with all improvements. The living on bond money by the village will have to be stopped sooner or later.

Member Wolfe complained that the grass and rubbish taken from between the street car tracks had been thrown onto Gallia pike and wanted to know if it was not up to the street railway company to haul the refuse away. The matter was dropped without action being taken.

The question as to whether the village or the school board had to pay for cement sidewalks laid around the schools was thrashed out in short order. The law had been looked up and it is up to the school board to see that the walks are laid.

The next question that consumed considerable time was about the laying of sidewalks in front of the properties where the owners have not done so after being notified by the street commissioner. Bonds will have to be issued if this is done. Member Fred Essman wanted to know why it was necessary to issue bonds when they cannot be sold. There was not a bid received on the $50,000 sewer bonds and the $42,000 water works and flood defense bonds. The finance committee composed of Members Charles Dixon, J. C. Harris, and Fred Essman, with Mayor J. S. Davis at their head, will meet the officials of the First National bank Tuesday morning and will try to dispose of the bonds at a private sale. Work on the much needed improvements will be begun as soon as the money is forthcoming.

A letter from the Portsmouth Steel Plant company thanking council for its action in allowing it to construct a monorail crane across Ohio avenue between two of its mills was ordered placed on the minutes.

The exhaust pipe at the steel plant has been the source of many complaints and council has been asked to see if something could not be done in order to stop the noise. Member Harris suggested that a hood or half hood be placed on the top of the exhaust which would force the sound towards the Kentucky shore. Member Dixon was authorized to make this suggestion to the mill officials.

Member Taylor requested that council see that a grade line was established for the laying of cement sidewalks on the south side of Gallia pike from Park avenue to the corporation line. Village Engineer Harper informed council that the lines had been run and everything was in readiness for the laying of the walks.

An alley that runs between Vine street and Ohio avenue is to be vacated by the village in order that the properties near the alley can be straightened out.

As the pike is seventy feet wide from Park avenue to the east corporation line ten feet will be vacated to the property owners along the pike as the paved side is to be sixty feet wide.

Mrs. Emma Hollingsworth, Mrs. C. Eanks and Mrs. Ethel Jones have returned home after attending the grand session of the N. M. T.'s held in Columbus, Ohio.

LOSES SIGHT OF EYE

While working under the auto ice truck one week ago last Saturday, Dan Hall, chauffeur for the Stockham Company, was the victim of an accident that resulted in the loss of the sight of his right eye. He was endeavoring to loosen a nut when a small piece chipped off and struck him in the eye. Since the accident he has been under the care of a specialist, who informed him Monday that the sight had been permanently destroyed.

Will Go To Stockdale

The degree team of Portsmouth Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will go to Stockdale, Pike county, Saturday to exemplify the ritualistic work of the order upon a class of eight candidates. Between fifteen and twenty members will make the trip. C. M. Emory, Democratic candidate for state senator in this district, is a prominent member of Stockdale Council, and he was largely responsible for the invitation to the local council.

Prevented Accident

Only the timely presence of mind of Motorman O. R. Hall [illegible] playing the [illegible] street car No. [illegible] from crashing into one of Marsh's mineral water wagons at Second and Market streets Monday afternoon. The car stopped just in the nick of time.

Every grain of wheat from which BLUE LABEL FLOUR is made is washed and [illegible] manufactured by men who know how, are some of the attributes of BLUE LABEL FLOUR. [illegible]

"Bible Inerrancy" Is Subject Of Article By Dr. J. C. Jackson

Papers throughout the state are copying the following interesting article which first appeared in the Ohio State Journal, written by Dr. J. C. Jackson, of London, Ohio, formerly of this city, on "Bible Inerrancy:"

Biblical Inerrancy

Editor Ohio State Journal:

I have wondered why some Columbus minister did not speak out on your editorial quotation of July 29 from one Martin Anstery of the Moody Biblical Institute. Doubtless they think its absurdity so transparent as to need no attention. But is it so? With the majority of the clergy that may be true. But how about the laity? When the brilliant editor of the Ohio State Journal seems to give it his quasi indorsement by quoting it so prominently, I fear many less well informed readers of the Bible may be sadly misled by its fallacies.

Mr. Anstery makes the following stupendous claims: "I don't claim for the Bible infallibility. I don't even claim inerrancy. But I find it there. In my 'Reunion of Bible Chronology' I have proved there is not one single contradiction between any one chronological statement in the Bible and any other. I drew up a table assigning one line for each year from the creation of Adam onward, and charted down every event in the year to which it belonged. The result is an absolutely graphic, flawless fit. Then I ransacked the British Museum, and after eight years of solid research work, I was able to see and have proved that there is not one single contradiction between the chronology of the Bible and the results of recent discoveries and modern research."

Will Mr. Anstery tell us in what [illegible] date of Adam's creation? Even assuming that Genesis is literal history instead of merely sacred literature, he would probably fall back upon Archbishop Usher's attempted chronology and make the year of creation 4004 B. C. But even such primary works as Monger's and Bartlett's Bible books for Sunday school teachers are careful to caution their readers that Usher died over 300 years ago, and that modern knowledge leaves scholars today to disregard this Old Testament date prior to the Babylonian captivity, 587 B. C., and that the time from Adam to Christ is now believed to have been much longer than 4000 years.

Besides, if the time inference drawn [illegible] were assumed to be authoritative, from which of the different texts should we take them? The Hebrew version reads one way, the Greek version reads another. On this basis, Bible years from the creation to the [illegible] vary from the original [illegible]. The Samaritan [illegible] in several men's lifetime, through 3 centuries the time between the creation and the flood by 437 years. [illegible] 7 A. M. The Septuagint [illegible] creation back 1700 years further than the Hebrew version, placing the flood [illegible] 3 A. M. thus making the creation 4700 years B. C.

Of course the Bible itself is not responsible for any of these estimates [illegible] Adam [illegible] no end to [illegible] Dr. Vandyke, a scholar [illegible] the era of [illegible] the oldest being 1656 years, and the longest 1042 years. With these facts in mind it may be believed that Mr. Anstery was in only "Romance" [illegible] of [illegible] and research work [illegible] in the British [illegible] "The Western Antiquary" [illegible] "Bible and Science" [illegible] "Bible and Science" [illegible] "Bible and Science

BIG RECEIVERSHIP SALE

OF THE

HANSEN FURNITURE COMPANY!

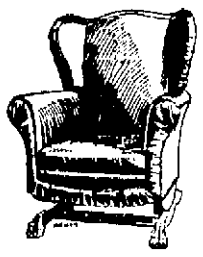
Started off Tuesday morning with a rush. People came from far and near to take advantage of the extremely low prices we have placed on our entire stock. We are forced to make this sale in order to satisfy the claims of our creditors. Consequently we have marked all our goods at exactly cost prices. We have to sacrifice all profits in order to raise cash. Our creditors are demanding payment. We are starting this sale to meet their demands.

Here is an opportunity to get your furniture, carpets, rugs, lace curtians and stoves at cost price and that means you cannot buy them cheaper at wholesale.

THE LAW DEMANDS THIS SALE!

All our costly furniture must be sacrificed. We have put the price knife in up to the hilt and some of the prices we ask are simply ridiculous.
Take advantage of this wonderful money-saving opportunity—look at the prices—others in proportion.

Rockers



All Quartered Oak, original price $7.75. Receivership Sale Price ...$4.50

$13.50 Rockers, genuine leather, spring seat. Receivership Sale Price only $8.75

$3.75 All Oak Rockers, Receivership Sale Price only $2.25

Lace Curtains and Carpets selling below cost.

Combination Book Cases

$28.00 Golden Oak, Combination Book Cases and Writing Desks, Receivership Sale Price only $18.75

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Refrigerators Last Call!

$14.50 Refrigerator capacity 25 pounds, now for $6.75

$18.00 Refrigerator capacity 50 pounds now for $10.50

Library Tables

In all finishes ranging in prices from $14 to $32

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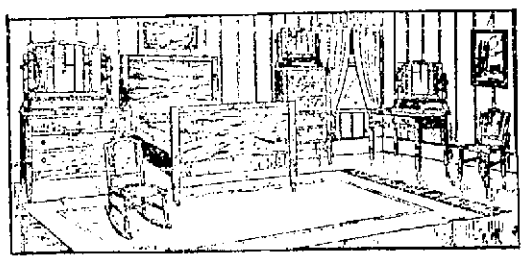
Large assortment of all finishes, ranging in price from .....$17.50 to $65.00



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Lucasville Fair Is Off With Good Start

The county fair opened at Lucasville Tuesday under bright skies and with a good sized crowd in attendance and officials are hopeful that with the good racing programs, the baby show and other features promised the next few days that success will crown their efforts.

There are thirty-five race horses on the grounds, fifty head of hogs, thirty-five sheep, twenty head of cattle, with twice that amount coming, a number of show horses, and a carload of poultry. The art hall is filled with fine needlework, etc. There is also an interesting exhibit of weights and measures loaned by the State.

The Sedan, Beaver and Piketon bands will alternate in furnishing music for the remaining three days of the fair. All N. & W. trains stop at the fair grounds.

The racing program for Wednesday is as follows:

2:40 Trot, No. 1, Dolly M., Sheriff Eckhart, Portsmouth; No. 2, Buck Haynes, of Chillicothe; Felix Stout, Willis Jones, of Greenup; No. 4, Kentucky Maid, Thompson, Frost, K.; No. 5, Aid the Great, Cliff Ball, of Ironton.

2:30 Pace: No. 1, Gin Patch, William, Vanceburg; No. 2, Coward, Troy, Pomeroy; No. 3, Prince R., Haynes, Chillicothe; No. 4, Spanish Rose, Hatfield, Ironton; No. 5, Lady Nelsonville, Willis & Jones, Greenup; No. 6, Bucktail Jay, Thompson, Frost; No. 7, Princess Elder, Cliff Ball, Pomeroy.

Scout Program.

Friday will be known as Boy Scout Day at the Lucasville Fair and every Boy Scout in Scioto and adjoining counties are expected to be present to participate in the events. The Fair Committee are offering liberal prizes which will be announced in Thursday night's Times.

Promptly at 8:30 Friday morning the events will begin. There will be a demonstration in First Aid to the injured, followed by a signaling demonstration.

At 9:30 there will be a long drill day program, with the following events: 50 yard dash, 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, running high jump, running broad jump, standing broad jump, standing broad jump, relay of same, [illegible] mount, and [illegible].

The closing features of the morning's program will be a game between Portsmouth Boy Scouts and Lucasville Scouts. The Portsmouth [illegible] will have a [illegible] camp of two weeks in the Peerless City.

picked from the Boy Scout Camp, the buttonhole lacing, S. [illegible] and Stanoway.

Every Scout in the [illegible] should be on hand early [illegible] and celebrate the day in true Scout style.

The Scout camp at the fair grounds is an ideal one, which is in charge of Scout Commissioner M. H. E. Kinsey, of Portsmouth, and Irving Westlake, Scout Master at Lucasville.

Twenty Portsmouth boys left Tuesday for the Fair, where they will patrol the grounds, act as guards, pages and gate keepers.

NOT MAROONED IN EUROPE

Rev. Father John Schreiber, pastor of St. Michael's church, Ironton, [illegible] in Europe on account of the war. [illegible] Father Schreiber, according to the [illegible] is either in Palestine [illegible].

Visited Mother.

Mrs. Anna Chapman, Rev. Chapman's mother, has returned to her home in Lockland, O., after a visit of two weeks in the Peerless City.

Let Brehmer, The Painter, clean up your house while you enjoy your vacation. adv 6tf

Had A Close Call In Railway Wreck

It has just been learned that Misses Laura Holderman and Katherine Moeller of this city, narrowly escaped injury in a wreck near Sandusky a few days ago.

The Portsmouth young women, who were en route to Cedar Point, were in a coach behind the one which left the track after the passenger [illegible] and collided with a freight train. They saved themselves by holding fast to the seats and escaped with a severe jolting. None of the passengers were hurt, though suffering greatly from shock, but the engineer and fireman were seriously injured in jumping.

MONEY FURNISHED TO LEASE FAIR GROUNDS

A resolution appropriating $1500 in a lump sum and $750 annually for 20 years in payment of a lease on Dreamland grounds near Lucasville for the purpose of holding an annual agricultural exhibition under the supervision of the Scioto County Agricultural Society, was passed unanimously by the board of commissioners in session Monday afternoon. The lease is inoperative whenever the county ceases to hold a county fair.

Safe factory arrangements for the motor race were settled Monday afternoon between the Roosevelt Good Roads Boosters and the officials of the Agricultural Society, and the same was filed by the commissioners. A new [illegible] law gives the right to the county commissioners to pay the cost on land which is used for county fair purposes.

Blackburn Administrator

L. P. Blackburn was appointed administrator of the estate of G. Lee S. S. Fardel, of Rarden, who died a week ago. The estate is valued at $1,000, all personal property and no assets. Mr. Blackburn is a brother of the deceased.

HOMINY MILL ABANDONED

L. A. Bodman, manager of the Independent Hominy company, has returned from a vacation trip to Georgian Bay. Mr. Bodman says there is nothing new to announce relative to the hominy company and that it begins to look as though the company would not locate a new plant in this or any other city.

Infection and Insect Bites Dangerous

Mosquitoes, flies and other insects which breed quickly in garbage pails, ponds of stagnant water, barns, musty places, etc., are carriers of diseases. Every time they bite you, they inject poison into your system from which some dread disease may result. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment. It is antiseptic and a few drops will neutralize the infection caused by insect bites or rusty nails. Sloan's Liniment disinfects Cuts, Bruises and Sores. You cannot afford to be without it in your home. Means loss if not satisfied. Only 25c at your Druggist's. adv

The baby [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gillick, who has been quite ill for the last two weeks, is now able to sit up a little at a time.

Miss Myrtle Foster, who has played in the pay department of the Sidney Shoe Co. [illegible] position as the guest of her parents at Manchester.

BIRD DOG GIVEN TO STEMSHORN

Ownership of the bird dog in dispute was decided in Squire Finney's court late in Saturday afternoon in a verdict with the plaintiff, William Stemshorn, the owner, as the victor in the decision. The dog was given to Stemshorn, and Mr. Arnold was ordered to pay the costs of the case. Squire Fin Gilliland looked after Arnold's interests.

Dan McDowell was named as defendant in the suit, from the fact that he kept the dog for Arnold, who said him monthly for his trouble. Representing Attorney Horace Small Stemshorn, while N. B. Gilliland looked after Arnold's interests.

Pleads Guilty To Burglary

McKinley Clifford, a local youth was arrested on the West Side Monday morning by Deputy Sheriff Smith, on the charge of burglarizing the store of Eli Baker on Saturday night. Clifford was arraigned before Squire A. J. Finney, Tuesday morning. He entered a plea of guilty and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $500 bond. In default of bond, he was committed to the county jail.

While admitting his guilt, Clifford contends that he stole only $12, instead of $22, as alleged in the affidavit.

All Boys and Girls

In pony contest please bring bread labels and wrappers to the bakery once a week.

Adam Pfau